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## THE CHILKAT PASS.

### The First Woman to Brave It Says It's Not So Bad.

### HER NAME IS MISS ESTHER LYONS.

**She Is Now In New York and Describes Her Experiences on a Journey Last Summer Through the New Goldfields.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The first white woman who successfully braved the perils of the Chilkat pass, entered the heart of the Klondike region, pegged out claims, panned gold and returned to civilization is in this city.

Miss Esther Lyons was an actress who had attained some fame as a heroine of melodrama, having acted only a few years ago at Palmer's theater, in this city. She is of an adventurous nature and in 1894 made a tour through British Columbia with a theatrical company.

With a small party she then started from Juneau, made the trip up the canal to Dyea, crossed Chilkat pass, sailed up to the lakes to Forty Mile City and, making the descent of the Yukon, returned to Sitka by sea. This was all done for pleasure.

There had been no phenomenal finds of gold at that time, but when Miss Lyons heard the wonderful news from the Klondike, through which she had passed three years before, she determined to make the journey again, and accordingly she started from Juneau last summer.

In speaking of her experiences, Miss Lyons said:

"All this talk about the dangers of the Chilkat pass I cannot understand. My experience tells me there is little danger, and it is impossible for a properly constituted party to lose its way. The terrible chasms which have been so often described exist only in the imagination of a certain class of sensational writers.

"We built two rafts at the foot of Lake Lindeman, and while these were building I had some excellent sport hunting and shooting. One of these rafts carried our baggage, and on the other we had a most delightful journey up the lakes to Fort Selkirk, at the junction of the Yukon river."

Miss Lyons described trading episodes with the Indians, who claim that they are "just the same as Boston men," and showed articles of dress made by them from the fur of the red fox.

"It was a strange sight," continued Miss Lyons, "to see the little Indian children shaking gold nuggets in old tomato cans or rolling them about like marbles.

"To use a common phrase, there can be no doubt but there is 'gold to burn' out there, and any man physically able to stand the Arctic winter, with the thermometer ranging from zero to 80 degrees below, is certainly sure to make a good stake inside of three years and has a fair chance of making riches beyond the wildest imagination.

"I myself did a lot of prospecting and panning, and I never failed to get good results. At no time did we suffer for want of good food, and I am of the opinion that the reports of prospective famine are greatly exaggerated."

Miss Esther, who is now over 27 years old, she has so much the entire trip through the Chilkat pass to Klondike and back by the Yukon river, and she says that she will go in again next spring.

**An Alaska Steamship Line.**

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—The first line of first class steamships to the Klondike has been organized in this city, with Charles H. Cramp of the shipbuilding firm of that name as president. There will be five vessels in all, and the first will start in April next, clearing from New York or Philadelphia and stopping at San Francisco, Seattle and Tacoma. Each of these ships will accommodate about 400 first class passengers and several hundred second class. They will make connections with railroads on the Pacific and with transportation lines in the region, while for the accommodation of passengers from abroad arrangements will be made with the American line, so that a gold seeker from the other side may buy a through ticket from Southampton to Dawson City. These vessels will arrive in Alaska at the opening of navigation on the Yukon and will continue to give weekly service between the Pacific ports and the Klondike. Each vessel will carry 2,000 tons of freight. J. H. Hoadley of New York is first vice president of the new company, which has offices in New York, Philadelphia and Chicago and is about opening others in San Francisco, Seattle and Tacoma.

**The Crozer Case Again.**

TRENTON, Nov. 5.—It was learned last night that the Mercer county grand jury has found a bill of indictment for embezzlement against Peter W. Crozer, the secretary and treasurer of the Mechanics' and the Mercer Mutual Building and Loan associations. Crozer's assignees have brought suit for $12,000 against John N. Lindsay, president of the two building and loan associations. The suit is brought on notes given by Lindsay to Crozer. Lindsay denies that he owes Crozer anything.

**A Liberal Victorious In England.**

LONDON, Nov. 5.—A parliamentary byelection was held in the Middleton division of southeast Lancashire to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of Mr. Thomas Fielden, Conservative, who secured the seat at the last general election by a majority of 865 in a total poll of 12,659. The result of the polling is the victory of the Liberal and Radical candidate, Mr. Alderman Duckworth, by a majority of 300 in a poll of 11,628 over the Unionist and Conservative candidate, Mr. William Mitchell.

## A WRECK IN VIRGINIA.

**Four Killed and Seventeen Others More or Less Injured.**

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va., Nov. 5.—The Chesapeake and Ohio vestibule express known as the F. F. V. from Cincinnati to Washington was wrecked near Old Shadwell, five miles east of this place, late yesterday afternoon. Four persons were killed and 17 injured.

The dead: Henry Burnett, colored porter, Keswick, Va.; an Italian woman named Merara and infant, believed to be from Cincinnati; Phelix Mareno, died after removal to Charlottesville.

The cause of the accident has not been definitely ascertined, but it is believed to have been due to spreading rails. The engine left the track on a sharp curve and was hurled against a rocky hill. All of the cars except the dining car and the Richmond sleeper were derailed.

Two cars plunged end foremost down the steep embankment, and one of them went into the Rivanna river, which at this place skirts the track. The day passenger coach and the express car were badly wrecked. As the locomotive plunged from the rails and overturned, Engineer Duke was hurled from the cab and crushed under the engine, besides being terribly scalded by escaping steam. He was rescued by his fireman and the conductor.

Among the uninjured passengers on the train were Senator Orville H. Platt of Connecticut, Commissioner of Pensions H. Clay Evans and Representative Walter Evans of Louisville.

## THE TRADE OF BRITAIN.

**Imports From the United States Have Greatly Increased.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Consul General Osborne at London has made a report to the state department upon the trade of the United Kingdom in 1896. It shows that the imports were $125,796,760 more than in 1895, and from the United States alone the excess was $98,992,150. The exports show a large increase, valued at $1,290,727,755, an excess of $70,000,000 over the previous year. The balance in favor of the United States last year was $370,000,000 greater than at any time during the past 15 years and probably at any time prior to that period. The articles imported from the United States specially mentioned are as follows:

Oxen and bulls, $10,000,000; butter, $1,700,000; unwrought and part wrought copper $5,000,000; corn (wheat), $10,000,000; oats, $5,000,000; maize, $7,500; wheat meal, or flour, $7,000,000; raw cotton, $27,000,000; apples, $2,000,000; cheese and cakes, $5,000,000; slates, $415,000.

In the exports to the United States there is no conspicuous increase in the value of any article. Decreases are mainly discernible in alkali, apparel, coal, cotton yarn, raw hides, metals, woolens and worsteds.

**Object to Smith as Receiver.**

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Nov. 5.—Decision was reserved by Judge Davis in the probate court on the application of the general creditors of the Worcester Cycle Manufacturing company for the appointment of C. C. Goodrich of the Hartford and New York Transportation company as trustee. Attorney Buckland of New Haven, who represented the Central Trust company, the mortgagee of the bondholders, asked for the appointment of Frank Sullivan Smith, the present receiver, as trustee. Objections were raised to Mr. Smith acting in the dual capacity of receiver and trustee on the ground that he already represented the bondholders. There are 32 creditors in Worcester whose claims aggregate over $70,000, while the largest creditor outside of the state is the Shelby Steel Tube company of Shelby, O. Ten attorneys were in attendance at the hearing, representing the various creditors.

**Accidentally Killed While Hunting.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 5.—George Stelzle, employed at the East Rock hotel, at State street, was accidentally shot and killed while hunting in the North Haven woods. Stelzle was with two companions, but a short while before the accident the trio separated to hunt in different parts of the woods. Stelzle did not appear at the place of meeting, and the others went in the direction in which they heard a shot and found their companion dead, with a portion of his head shot off. Coroner Nixon was notified and pronounced the death accidental.

**The Fever Record.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Dispatches from New Orleans indicate that the yellow fever situation has not improved there, as was expected in view of the recent cold wave. There was also a light frost in Mobile, but 11 new cases and 1 death are reported from there, making a total of 37 deaths in Mobile since the fever started. There are 2 new cases at Edwards, Miss., and 1 at Nitta Yuma.

**Prominent Dentist Dead.**

NEW LONDON, Conn., Nov. 5.—Dr. W. W. Sheffield, a prominent dentist, died, aged 70 years. Dr. Sheffield was one of the best known dentists in the United States, having acquired considerable prominence by his tooth crowning patents. He sustained a shock about a year ago and another recently. He leaves a wife and one son.

**Killed by a Bicyclist.**

HARTFORD, Nov. 5.—William P. Howarth, aged 50, of Springfield, Mass., was struck by Charles N. Robeson, a bicyclist, on Main street, and was so badly injured by hitting his head on the curb that he died some hours later. Robeson got caught in a pocket by the sudden turning of a wagon ahead of him and in trying to escape from it swerved his wheel suddenly, his head hitting Howarth, who was crossing the street.

## HARBORS ARE WEAK

### General Miles Says Defenses Are Inadequate.

### MIGHT BE UNABLE TO CHECK ENEMY

**New York Chamber of Commerce Passes Resolutions Urging the Necessity of at Once Making Better Provision For Resisting Attack.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—"The present coast defenses of New York harbor would afford some protection for the city in case of war, but they might not be able to stop a hostile fleet."

This statement was made last night by Major General N. A. Miles, com-

MAJOR GENERAL MILES.

manding the army, who, in the absence of Secretary of War Alger, is acting as secretary of war.

"The nature and size of the enemy's squadron would have much to do of course," the general continued, "with forcing an entrance into the harbor. I do not think the Spanish fleet could enter the harbor, even with the present fortifications erected there. Besides, the United States fleet would make it interesting for the Spanish naval force.

"Some guns are already mounted at New York, but not one-third of the number required. The work of erecting fortifications and mounting the guns is going along slowly, but as rapidly as congress appropriates the necessary funds for building the guns and carriages and their emplacements. But at the present time we have not men enough to man the guns already in place or to fight them in case of necessity.

"So far as fortifications are concerned, New York is now better off than Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Charleston, New Orleans, San Francisco and Puget sound. But it is still without adequate protection—the kind of protection that means the safety of the population, the homes, the industries and the wealth which are within reach of modern guns that might be mounted on an enemy's battleships.

"The destruction of large cities means the driving back of the population into the country beyond the reach of the enemy's guns, homeless, shelterless and penniless.

"I am very glad to see that there is a more genuine understanding on that subject and the presence of a marked interest in this matter among the business men and the patriots of the country, and I trust it may bear fruit in the coming congress."

In his annual report, recently submitted to Secretary Alger, General Miles recommends that congress appropriate during the next session $1,419,000 for adding to the defense of New York harbor during the next fiscal year. He said last night that this sum would do much toward putting the defenses in a good condition, but more would of course be necessary in order to comply with the Endicott plan for the fortifications of our coasts, which the war department is following.

**Want Better Defenses.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon passed resolutions urging upon the president and congress the necessity of taking immediate action to strengthen the harbor defenses and to increase the number of artillerymen. This action surprised the downtown business district, and particularly Wall street. Stocks were weak all day and showed further weakness after the Chamber of Commerce adjourned.

**Asphyxiated by Coal Gas.**

LANSFORD, Pa., Nov. 5.—Peter Chewper, his infant daughter Anna and John Stohlma were asphyxiated by coal gas at Chewper's home on the outskirts of the town. Mrs. Chewper and a boarder named Simon were found unconscious and are not expected to live. Mrs. Chewper and Simon were nearly dead when found. It is supposed that when Simon came home he placed some coal on the fire and disarranged the draft so as to prevent the exit of the gas. The rooms are small, and the inmates were soon overcome.

**The Armour Case Postponed.**

ALBANY, Nov. 5.—The second hearing before Referee Waltz in the suits involving several million dollars brought against Armour & Co. by the state for sale of oleomargarine in this state was scheduled for yesterday in this city, but at the request of the attorneys engaged in the case it was adjourned to some date which will be agreeable to them.

**Miser Found Dead In Hallway.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Joseph Walsh, 85 years old, an eccentric character, living in penury and yet possessed of thousands of dollars, was found dead yesterday in the hall of the building 167 East Ninety-ninth street, where for the last 11 years he and his daughter Mary, 36 years old, had occupied three miserable little rooms.

## WALES WON HIS CASE

### Prince Sued For $300,000 by a Man Named Hinde.

### FRAUD ALLEGED AGAINST A JUDGE.

**The Bench Peremptorily Called the Plaintiff to Order and Dismissed the Case as an Abuse of the Process of the Court.**

LONDON, Nov. 5.—An extraordinary case was heard before the lord mayor's court when a man named Hinde sued the Prince of Wales to recover £60,000 ($300,000) alleged to have been wrongfully paid to the prince by the late Under Sheriff Croll, who was the liquidator of the United Kingdom Electric Telegraph company.

The plaintiff declared the money belonged to a certain Mr. Allen, of whose estate he was the assignee, and he further claimed the sum of £150,000 ($750,000) from Lord Suffolk, alleging that the latter had suborned Croll to commit perjury before Lord Bramwell, at the trial in 1877, in connection with the liquidation.

Sir George Lewis, in behalf of the Prince of Wales and the Earl of Suffolk, asked that the proceedings be quashed on the ground that the allegations were nothing more than a frivolous and vexatious tissue of nonsense, and he submitted an affidavit to that effect.

The plaintiff then addressed the court, declaring he had been told that

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the Prince of Wales received the money referred to, and then proceeded to charge Lord Bramwell with defrauding Allen's widow out of £150,000 ($750,000) in order to obtain promotion and peerage.

The plaintiff was here stopped by the court with the warning to speak respectfully of judges. Finally the court stopped the case and dismissed the action, which was described as being "an abuse of the process of the court."

**Close Call For Two Brothers.**

READING, Pa., Nov. 5.—Two brothers, engineers, Ben and Dan Klemmer, of the Reading railroad, had a close escape from death yesterday. Ben Klemmer runs the express train on the East Pennsylvania railroad from Allentown to Reading. When he approached Topton, 20 miles east of here, he noticed an open switch ahead of him. He was coming at a 25 mile an hour clip. He had just time to reverse and put on brakes, when his engine ran on the siding and crashed into his brother's engine on a through freight that was standing on the siding to allow the passenger train to pass. The brothers stuck to their posts and escaped uninjured. Some of the passengers were hurt in the general mix up, but none very severely.

**There Was Plenty of Shooting.**

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Nov. 5.—John McIntosh killed Frank and wounded Will, Ed and Louise Pottmeyer. Frank Pottmeyer was a saloon keeper, and he put McIntosh out because he was drunk. McIntosh left, vowing vengeance, and returned with a double barreled shotgun. He emptied two loads into Frank's breast and reloaded, shooting Will in the right arm and Ed in the left arm. He again reloaded and shot Louise in the back. The wounded people will live. During the melee Will shot McIntosh in the abdomen with a revolver, but the ball glanced off. McIntosh was arrested by the police after holding them at bay for ten minutes.

**Shaw Sent to State Prison.**

BOSTON, Nov. 5.—Robert Shaw of Somerville was found guilty of assaulting his wife, Elizabeth, and his stepdaughter, Annie Cotter, with intent to kill, in the superior court at East Cambridge. The assaults occurred last June. Shaw shot his wife and stepdaughter and then himself. Shaw and his wife were seriously wounded and their lives were despaired of for some time. Shaw was sentenced to a term of not less than 12 nor more than 15 years in the state prison.

**Pushed the Trigger With a Cane.**

RICHMOND, Nov. 5.—A special from Emporia says that Captain W. H. Briggs, a prominent citizen and late deputy collector, committed suicide by shooting himself. Captain Briggs was about 62 years old. He placed a gun to his right temple and used a walking stick to push the trigger. No cause is known for the suicide.

**To Aid the Y. M. C. A.**

SARATOGA, Nov. 5.—H. M. Levengston has made an offer to contribute $25,000 toward the erection of a Young Men's Christian association building here, provided the association raises an equal amount.

## GARRISONS WRECK INQUEST.

**Evidence by an ex-Employee of the Central as to the Roadbed.**

COLD SPRING, N. Y., Nov. 5.—The second session of the coroner's inquest into the cause of the death of the victims of the disaster on the New York Central railroad near Garrisons on Sunday, Oct. 24, was held in the town hall here last night. The most important testimony, as tending to show what caused the embankment to collapse and the train to plunge into the river, was given by Michael Clare, a former section master.

Clare testified that the retaining wall had fallen before and that the roadbed had given him considerable trouble, as sometimes the outer rails would sink below the surface line three or four inches. His testimony was corroborated to some extent by two former section hands who had worked under him.

The only incident of the inquest that bordered on the sensational was the refusal of Coroner William T. Wood, on the advice of District Attorney J. Bennett Southard, to permit counsel for the New York Central railroad to take any part in the proceedings. After Michael Clare had made his statement as to the condition of the roadbed at the time that he had charge of it D. W. Tears of New York, who, with Robert F. Wilkinson of Poughkeepsie, represented the railroad company, wanted to cross examine Clare for the purpose of showing that he was discharged by the company for inebriety, but the district attorney interposed an objection, and the coroner stated that the railroad company's counsel would not be allowed to either question witnesses or to call witnesses to testify.

The inquest was adjourned to Nov. 12 at 7:30 p. m.

## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Professor George Frederick Holmes of the University of Virginia is dead.

A young couple were married last night in a lion's den at the Boston Zoo.

Mrs. Celia Wallace of Chicago has offered to adopt Miss Evangelina Cosio y Cisneros.

Mr. Richard Croker, the Tammany leader in New York, is reported to be slightly ill.

M. W. Bremen, ten years ago a millionaire silver miner, committed suicide in New Mexico.

Senator McInnes of British Columbia has been appointed lieutenant governor of that province.

The steamer Victoria will carefully search the islands north of Norway for explorer Andree.

An operation for appendicitis was successfully performed on H. O. Havemeyer, the sugar magnet.

Charles Broadway Rouss has declared the inability of Dr. Norman, the physician from India, to cure him.

Sir James Winter, who led the Oppositionists in Newfoundland, has a majority of ten in the assembly.

Joseph A. Jasigi, ex-Turkish consul, has been found guilty in Boston of embezzling $49,000 from French estates.

The Spanish cabinet will ask an explanation from General Weyler of remarks in his farewell address at Havana.

Alice Brown, 20 years old, was found dead in bed in Boston with discolorations on her neck. The police have arrested three men and are investigating the case.

**He's Taking a Long Sleep.**

EASTON, Mass., Nov. 5.—A case which is causing much perplexity to the members of the medical fraternity is that of Augustus Hansen, a son of Oliver Hansen, who resides in South Easton. Last Sunday evening Hansen, who is 18 years of age, retired at 10 o'clock. When his brother went into the room at midnight, Augustus was lying on the bed, apparently asleep, with his clothes on. Thinking that Augustus had accidentally fallen asleep, his brother attempted to awaken him, but was unable to do so. Mr. Hansen was called and made an effort to revive his son, but without avail. Dr. Elcock was then summoned, but he was unable to restore the young man to consciousness. Since then young Hansen has been in a dormant condition. Wednesday he opened his eyes for a moment, but failed to recognize any one around him and immediately lapsed into unconsciousness again. The attending physician is unable to account for the young man's condition.

**Upsala College's New Location.**

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Upsala college, of which Rev. L. H. Beck is president, has signed contracts with the New Orange company, arranging for the removal of that institution to the city of New Orange, which is being built in the vicinity of Orange and Newark, N. J. The Upsala college is a Lutheran institution supported by the state church of Sweden. It is now located in Brooklyn. The New Orange company has given the Upsala college an endowment of $100,000.

**Mergenthaler Suffers by Fire.**

DEMING, N. M., Nov. 5.—The winter residence of Otto Mergenthaler, the inventor of the linotype machine, was totally destroyed by fire here last evening. Mr. Mergenthaler lost all his personal property and many valuable papers, including the drawings for a new typesetting machine. The property was owned by Colonel James A. Lockhart of Colorado Springs and was valued at $20,000. Mr. Mergenthaler was spending the winter in Deming, hoping to be benefited in health.

**New York Postmasters.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The following fourth class postmasters have been appointed in New York state: Batchellerville, O. B. Edwards; Conewango Valley, F. E. Spencer; Dayton, A. R. Young; Enfield Center, W. Barber; Hermon, C. G. Maine; Mileses, M. Dradt; Morley, O. B. Robinson; McKnownville, W. Hehms; Newtonville, J. K. Kemp; Yaphank, S. W. Higgins.

## NEW YORK ASSEMBLY

### Republicans Will Control the State Legislature.

### DISCUSSION ON THE NEXT SPEAKER.

**What Chairman Nash and Chairman McConville Have to Say Regarding the Prospects For Supremacy of Their Parties In Ohio.**

ALBANY, Nov. 5.—The closeness of the vote on members of assembly has proven an interesting topic about the capitol, and the organization of that body has been variously gauged by leading politicians. The completed returns demonstrate that the body is safely Republican by eight majority at least, even conceding ten doubtful districts to the Democrats. When the Eighth and Twenty-third districts of New York city were obtained as finally canvassed it was apparent that the Republicans had a safe margin of ten votes, electing, with eight districts in doubt, 79 members. One of these, the member in Herkimer, is questioned by the Democrats, who claim it. The list includes two Citizens' union candidates, who, if they voted with the Democrats upon organization or any other matter, would give that party 71 votes, or 72 if the Herkimer district is Democratic.

Discussion as to the question of organizing the house led to the injection of the question of Jacob Worth's influence upon the members from Kings. With the figures obtainable, it was evident that irrespective of the Kings county members the Republicans will have two or three majority for organization, as it is generally conceded that the Kings men will not vote with the Democrats. It was said here by an authority in state Republican politics that the election of O'Grady of Rochester as speaker would probably be made unless the leaders themselves for some purpose declared otherwise. Superintendent of Public Works Aldridge, who, it is alleged, is very close to Jacob Worth, as well as to Thomas C. Platt, would not give a detailed interview, but said:

"I guess Mr. O'Grady will succeed himself."

For the clerkship and other minor positions there is liable to be a very lively contest, because of the closeness of the vote.

**The Ohio Election.**

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 5.—Chairman Nash says that the Republicans have a safe majority of five on joint ballot in the legislature. He admits that the pluralities are small in some counties, but claims they are safe. He has no doubt of the result in many of the counties which he claims, except possibly Wood county, and in the event of the loss of that county's members the legislature would stand 74 Republicans to 71 Democrats and have a majority of three on joint ballot for senator. Chairman Nash said the returns from the Thirteenth district showed that the Republicans had a plurality of 432, so that there is no longer any of the state senators in doubt, and the senate will stand 19 Democrats to 17 Republicans.

At Republican state headquarters Summit county is not considered as doubtful, as heretofore, and its two representatives are being conceded to the Democrats. This would make the house 58 Republicans and 51 Democrats.

Chairman McConville does not admit that the Republicans have carried the Thirteenth district for their candidate for state senator, and he still claims the representatives from Noble, Delaware, Wood, Muskingum and other counties claimed by the Republicans. He also expects the official count to give the Democrats two of the 12 members of the legislature from Cuyahoga county. In all these counties and in others he says there will be contests for the seats in the count of certificates of election being given to the Republicans.

Chairman McConville charges fraud in the close counties and in some Republican counties. He says nearly all the close counties have gone Republican heretofore, and the Republicans still have the machinery in these counties. He says the returns have been held back, and it looks suspicious. Other counties have completed their counting, while the doubtful counties are still at it.

**A Woman School Commissioner.**

SYRACUSE, Nov. 5.—A committee of [illegible] count of a majority of whom are Democrats, is canvassing the city returns. The inspectors' reports are late and somewhat muddled. The canvass is made despite the protest of the Republican county committee, which wants to throw it into the Republican board of supervisors. The vote on several city offices is extremely close. There is no doubt of the re-election of Mayor James L. McGuire (Dem.) by over 1,000. Miss Aria S. Huntington (Dem.), daughter of Right Rev. Frederick D. Huntington, Episcopal bishop of central New York, is elected school commissioner for two years, leading the ticket in her district. She is a leader in several charitable enterprises and is a woman suffragist. She is the first woman to hold an elective office in Syracuse.

**Liquid Dryer Starts a Blaze.**

PROVIDENCE, Nov. 5.—The Healy building, in the north end, was damaged by fire. A clerk in the hardware store of George Peterson went to the cellar for some liquid dryer. He lighted a match and the fumes of the liquid ignited, causing a fierce fire. It was extinguished with a loss of $10,000.

**To Intercept Filibusters.**

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The Detroit, which was sent to Guatemala to look after American interests during the last revolution, has sailed from Puerto Barrios for Key West to resume the task of intercepting filibustering parties.

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The arbitration of the Behring sea sealing cases has again brought sharply into prominence one of Michigan's most distinguished men, Hon. Don M. Dickinson. Intense and thorough in his application to every task he takes in hand, he has made the same forcible impression in the prosecution of his duties as senior counsel for the United States in these cases that he made as politician and postmaster general. While it is altogether too early to surmise whether the [illegible] of this government have been [illegible] in these cases, the reports [illegible] and Halifax as well as from Montreal indicate that Mr. Dickinson has presented the strongest side of the case for the United States.

The varied career of Mr. Dickinson has made him a citizen of the United States as much as of Michigan. His talents as a lawyer have often brought him into the supreme courts of both United States and state. As democratic political manager, his shrewdness won him fame throughout the country. In 1876, as chairman of the Michigan democratic state central committee, he surprised not only the republicans but the democracy by his masterful organization of the state for Tilden. In 1880, 1884 and again in 1892 he was Michigan's prominent delegate to the democratic conventions, being each time chairman of the delegation, and in the latter convention a Cleveland leader.

As chairman of the national campaign committee in 1892, says the De-

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(Senior American Counsel in the Behring Sea Cases.)

troit Free Press, Mr. Dickinson made his great mark as a political manager, and it was said thereafter that he might have had any appointment in the gift of President Cleveland. He declined a cabinet appointment. Later when the nomination as senior counsel in the Behring sea cases came, being in line with his profession he accepted.

The powers of organization which Mr. Dickinson possesses were plainly in evidence when he was postmaster-general, which appointment came to him December 6, 1887. His administration of the post office department during the brief time he was in the cabinet won him permanent recognition. As a friend and adviser of President Cleveland none stood higher in the appreciation of the chief executive.

The deep, enthusiastic and patriotic nature of the man has often been in evidence. His great speech before the Michigan Loyal legion in 1895, threw the press of the country into spasms for weeks. He was posted as a jingoist from end to end of the country. Time and again his voice has rang out in behalf of the Cubans, whose cause has always stirred his heart. His knowledge of Cuba and Spanish wrongs is thorough. His democratic love of liberty is invariably stirred upon suggestion of the oppression of the struggling Cubans.

With a high intellectual endowment and rare richness of feeling Mr. Dickinson's lot is to be envied. He is still in the noon day of manhood, being but little more than 50 years old. Born in 1846, Detroit has been his home since 1848. He graduated from the law school of the University of Michigan and was honored by the 500 alumni of Detroit by election as first president of the local association of alumni and old students.

**Novel Trap for Insects.**

Dr. Roerig has invented a device for solving the ever difficult problem of ridding the world of its overplus insects. He incloses a lamp in a six-sided lantern, each of whose sides has an opening provided with a strong glass lens and a conical reflector, through which insects seeking the light can enter. The upper part of the lantern consists of a pyramidal cover, furnished with ventilators that permit the passage of hot air, but prevent the escape of insects. Below it is closed by a similar pyramidal part, inverted, which leads to a vessel with lids in which a sweet, perfumed mixture has been placed. Having entered the lantern the insects cannot get out, and fall into the receptacle below, from which they are removed. The apparatus is placed in an open field or in a tree.

**Tall Flagstaff in Boston.**

A flagstaff has just been placed in position at one of Boston's new grammar schools which reaches up 130 feet into the air. It was brought around Cape Horn from Puget Sound. It is what is known to commerce as "Oregon pine," but is really the giant red fir of the state of Washington. The tree from which the pole was cut towered over 250 feet from the ground.

**No Ground for New Trial.**

The court of appeals of New York has held that it was no ground for a new trial because the jury in a murder case attended church on Sunday in the custody of the sheriff and heard a sermon on the prevalence of crime.

**Gorman Is Beaten.**

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.—An official count of the ballots cast on Tuesday last, made in most of the counties, leaves no further room for doubt that the Republicans have control of both branches of the legislature and that a Republican will succeed Arthur P. Gorman in the United States senate. Five members of the assembly and one senator were taken from the Democratic list of probabilities and added to that of the Republicans. Three of the members and the senator are from Talbot county and one member each from Prince Georges and Carroll. This gives the Republicans 49 members in the house and leaves the Democrats but 42. It also gives the Republicans 18 senators to 8 for the Democrats and a majority on joint ballot of 17.

**New Chaplain For Lehigh University.**

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Nov. 5.—Dr. Langdon C. Stewardson of St. Mark's church, Worcester, Mass., has accepted the chair of philosophy and the chaplaincy of Lehigh university, to succeed Dr. Worcester, the present pastor of St. Stephen's church, Philadelphia. Dr. Bird, editor of Lippincott's Magazine, has been acting chaplain at Lehigh for six months.

**A Fatal Misunderstanding.**

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Walter Bullis, an O. and W. brakeman, gave the signal to an engineer to go ahead, and then stepped between the cars. The engineer misunderstood the signal and backed up. Bullis was caught between the bumpers and will die.

**New York Markets.**

FLOUR—State and western quiet and lower to sell; city mills patents, $5.95@6.15; winter patents, $5@5.25; city mills clears, $5.45@5.60; winter straights, $4.70@4.80.

WHEAT—No. 2 red opened steady on foreign buying and cables, but had a sensational break under a raid by Chicago bears; December, 97⅝@98c.; May, 93⅝@95 1-16c.

RYE—Quiet; No. 2 western, 50c., c. i. f. Buffalo.

CORN—No. 2 ruled quiet, but steady on export demand and small receipts; December, 21½@21⅝c.

OATS—No. 2 dull and featureless; track, white, state, 26@31c.; track, white western, 26@31c.

PORK—Quiet; new mess, $9@9.50; family, $11@12.

LARD—Dull; prime western steam, $4.55, nominal.

BUTTER—Steady; state dairy, 12@20c.; state creamery, 14@23½c.

CHEESE—Quiet; large, white, 8⅞c.; small, white, 9@9½c.

EGGS—Steadier; state and Pennsylvania, 18@21c.; western, 20c.

SUGAR—Raw nominal; fair refining, 4⅛@3 5-16c.; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾@3 13-16c.; refined steady; crushed, 5⅜c.; powdered, 5 3-16c.

TURPENTINE—Dull at 30½@31c.

RICE — Quiet; domestic, 4⅝@6⅛c.; Japan, 4⅜@5⅛c.

TALLOW—Dull; city, 3¼c.; country, 3⅛@3⅜c.


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There is only one reason—just one—that accounts for the extraordinary large business that we are doing day in and day out, rain or shine, and that is the low prices at which we are offering everything in our store; in addition to this, we may add that our stock is always large and complete, that everything we show is new and seasonable in style and reliable in quality. Our special offerings for this week, partly told of in this advertisement, are interesting reading to economical buyers.

*Towels and Table Cloths.*
Special values for this week.

*All Linen Huckaback Towels*
worth 14c., at 10c.

*Larger Sized Huckaback Towels*
worth 18c., at Tompkins' 12½c each.

*Very Large and Heavy Turkish Bath Towels*
16c quality, at Tompkins 9c each.

*A Special Table Linen*
This week is five pieces of half bleached damask 64 inches wide and worth 50c., at Tompkins' 35c a yard. Bleached Table Linen, 55c quality, this week at 45c a yard. 65c quality, this week at 50c a yard.

*Large Dinner Size Napkins*
Per dozen 98c., value $1.25

*Large Dinner Damask Napkins*
Full selvage, a $1 65 value, at Tompkins' $1.25 a dozen.

*Flannels and Linings.*

*Domet Shaker Flannel*
7c quality, 3½c a yard.

*Heavy Outing Flannel*
worth 10c., 6c a yard.

*Remnants of 10c Unbleached Canton Flannel*
6c a yard.

*Skirt and Waist Lining.*
Best Skirt Canvas Cloth 6 3-4c. 10c yard wide Rustle Lining 7c a yard. 15c Hollan 10c a yard.

*Good Fast Black Moreen*
10c a yard.

*Best Wool Moreen Lining*
35c a yard. Genuine Hair Cloth, black or grey, 28c a yard.

*Gloves.*

*Ladies' Black Cashmere Gloves*
25c quality, at Tompkins' 15c a pair. Ladies' 25c Black Cashmere Gloves 19c a pair.

*Men's Lined Cashmere Gloves*
25c a pair.

*Men's Lined Leather Gloves*
25c a pair, worth 39c. Men's Lined Leather Gloves 25c a pair, worth 50c.

*Ladies' Sailor Hats, Ostrich Feathers, etc.*
Ladies' Trimmed Sailor Hats, 89c value, at Tompkins' 49c each. Child's Tam O Shanters 19, 25, 35, 50c.

*Ostrich Plumes*
15c each, worth 50c. 25c each, worth 75c. $1 each, worth $1.50.

*Ostrich Tips.*
Three large Tips in a bunch, worth 85c., at Tompkins' 35c a bunch.

*Black Birds*
10c each.

Three very large and fine Tips in a bunch, worth $1, at Tompkins, 50c a bunch.

*Quills*
1c each.

*Black and Colored Wings*
10c a pair.

*Ladies' Hosiery and Underwear.*
Very special values for this week—each and every one possessing unusual merit.

*Ladies' 20c Fleece Lined Hose*
15c a pair.

*Childs' 22c Wool Hose*
plain or ribbed 15c a pair.

*Ladies' Heavy 25c Wool Hose*
19c a pair.

*Men's Merino Wool Sox*
10c a pair.

*Ladies' Ribbed Vests*
25c value, at Tompkins' 19c each.

*Ladies' 50c White Merino Underwear*
35c each.

*Ladies' 50c Heavy Fleeced Ribbed Underwear*
35c each.

*Ladies' Combination Suits*
45c each

*Misses' Combination Suits*
35c each.

*Men's Underwear.*
50c Heavy Fleeced Underwear 35c each. 50c Grey or White Merino Underwear 35c each. $1 25 Fine Wool Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers 75c each.

*Mittens.*
Ladies' or Child's 10c a pair, worth 15c. 15c a pair, worth 22c. 19c a pair, worth 25c.

*Black and Colored Dress Goods.*
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*Black Taffeta Silks.*
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*Our Cloak Department*
Always to the fore with superior specials, is exceedingly strong in values this week.

*Ladies' Persian Curl Bouele Jackets.*

*Ladies' Fine Kersey Cloth Jackets,*
Fly front, latest cut, $6.50 value, at Tompkins' $5 each.

*Ladies' Fine English Fly Front Kersey Jackets,*
Half lined with satin serge, an $8 50 value, at Tompkins' $6.75 each.

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## LOCAL ELECTION NEWS.

**The Result of the Contest for Local Offices in Orange County Towns.**

The following figures shows the result of the local contest in some of Orange county's town's:

### WALLKILL.

Later returns from this town increase James M. Horton's majority from four to seventeen. The Circleville district, reported as having given eight majority for Mr. Thompson, really gave Mr. Horton five, thus increasing Mr. Horton's majority. The majorities follow:

SUPERVISOR

| | 1d | 2d | 3d | Tot | Pl |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Thompson | 8 | | | 8 | |
| Horton | | 26 | 5 | 25 | 17 |

TOWN CLERK.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mapes | 30 | | 30 | |
| Crans | 7 | 86 | 93 | —66 |

ASSESSOR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Van Fleet | 7 | 22 | 27 | —22 |
| Jordan | 5 | | 5 | |

HIGHWAYS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Parsons | 9 | 20 | 29 | |
| McBride | 33 | | 33 | — 4 |
| Wheeler | | 64 | 64 | —56 |
| Stage | 2 | | 9 | |

COLLECTOR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carpenter | 14 | 48 | 62 | —20 |
| King | 42 | | 42 | |

OVER-SEER POOR

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Illenberger | 2 | | 2 | |
| Dolan | | 5 47 | 46 | —41 |

### WAWAYANDA.

SUPERVISOR.

| | 1 dist | 2 dist | Tot | Plu |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bradley | 170 | 130 | 300 | — 4 |
| Stivers | 94 | 111 | 196 | |

TOWN CLERK.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ellis | 77 | 87 | 164 | |
| Myers | 79 | 153 | 25 | —8 |

JUSTICE.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Miller | 77 | 110 | 187 | |
| Haven | 78 | 129 | 207 | —20 |

ASSESSOR

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Caskey | 84 | 107 | 191 | |
| Strait | 71 | 130 | 201 | —10 |

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mead | 73 | 113 | 186 | |
| Wickham | 81 | 128 | 209 | —23 |

COLLECTOR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Moore | 74 | 124 | 198 | |
| Martin | 82 | 117 | 199 | — 1 |

OVER-SEER POOR.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Smith | 81 | 104 | 185 | |
| Evans | 74 | 125 | 200 | —23 |

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Fremont.....Albert Holcomb, R
Highland.....Oliver Corkin, R
Liberty.....C. R Dushbery, R
Lumberland.....J. L. Smith, D
Mamakating.....M. Skinner, R
Neversink.....W. H. H. Hoar, R
Rockland.....J. W. Howes, R
Thompson.....T. A. Nova, D
Tusten.....C. Engelbreth, D

## SOUTH CENTREVILLE.

**Personal Notes—A Poor Apple Whiskey Year—Why He Hung Out His Flag—Other Notes.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Miss Jennie Clark and Miss Julia A. Robbins visited the former's cousins at the home of Wesley Clark, Greenville, recently.

—Miss Lizzie Morrison has been visiting friends in New York the past week.

—The Cummings Bros. have had an unusually small crop of apples to manufacture into cider brandy.

—John, auxiliarly called "Jack" Cummings, had his flag displayed Wednesday in honor of the great Democratic victory achieved Tuesday.

—The voters of this section turned out strong considering the big rain storm they had to go through. There were only four stay-at-homes.

—Halstead Bros., carpenters, with the assistance of W. Harder, are reroofing the M. E. Church sheds and making other necessary repairs.

—A. L. Brundage is reshingling, fixing the cornices and making other improvements on G. Robinson's dwelling.

## SLATE HILL.

**Epworth League Social.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The Epworth League, of Slate Hill will hold a dime social at Mrs. R. J. Wherry's, Wednesday evening, Nov. 10, 1897. Proceeds for the M. E. Chapel.

## UNIONVILLE.

**Chicken Pot-pie Sociable.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—A chicken pot-pie sociable will be held at the home of Mrs. Ella Timbrell, next Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, in Unionville. All are invited to come and enjoy a good supper.

**Burglary at Deckertown.**

M. M. Mabie's store in Deckertown was entered by burglars, Tuesday night, and robbed of a few dollars worth of goods. The two money drawers, each of which contained a small sum of money, were not opened.


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## VERNON.

**Many Interesting Personal and Local Notes.**

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Benjamin Babcock, who is employed by S. H. Wood, had the misfortune to crush one of his hands one day recently.

—Mrs. A. S. Blanchard has been erecting an addition to her tenant house.

—Harry Purdy's phonograph concert, held in Burrow's Hall, one night recently, was well attended.

—Miss Jessie Mullery, of Bayonne, N. J., was visiting friends in this place last week.

—Mrs. T. F. Wood has moved to Goshen, N. Y., where she will remain during the winter, returning to her house in this place in the spring.

—Station Agent Flumberfelt has moved from John Conklin's house to the one recently vacated by Wm. Maguire.

—Mrs. Solomon TenEyck, of Franklin Furnace, spent Saturday with her parents in this place.

—Wilbur Fredericks, of Pompton Lake, but formerly of this place, was visiting relatives in town last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Parker spent Sunday in Franklin with relatives.

—George Hooker, who for several years past has occupied the Rutherford farm, has purchased a farm somewhere between Port Jervis and Milford, Pa.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Campbell have been visiting in Andover.

—Over 100 persons had dinner at the Vernon House election day.


## WONDERFUL WORK.

**If This Had Happened in San Francisco Instead of Middletown, More Than One Reader Would Dispute It.**

The average man is a doubter. It is due to this fact, coupled with necessity, that such rapid strides have been made in mechanics and science. Curiosity and investigation are necessary in every business. Without it failure is the inevitable result. Middletown people are asked to investigate the following. It is a simple thing to do. The party interested is a citizen. He doesn't live in New York or Detroit. Ask F. M. Newkirk, of 172 West Main street, if the following is not his experience with and opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills. He says:—"There have been times when I wished I could quit work on account of my kidneys. I have had ten years of it. Latterly my troubles have become complicated, a weak stomach and dyspepsia preventing me from indulging in strong foods, and I require to stop for following my occupation. Backache, headache and dizziness accompanied this, often so severe that they maddened me. I took medicines of all kinds for my sickness, but I received little or no lasting relief until I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mohr' drug store. They seemed to help me right from the start and I kept on taking them until I was cured. The old pains and aches have left me and there is no indication of the trouble returning. They did for me all that any medicine could do. Indirectly they have helped my stomach, for now I can eat the strongest and richest food. I will always praise Doan's Kidney Pills. I can be spoken to any day as I make my rounds and I will be only too glad to give any further particulars."

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## RIDGEBURY.

**Mr. Brittain's Donation.**

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The many friends of Rev. Mr. Brittain are looking forward to the annual visit at the parsonage, next Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, where they know a pleasant evening is in store for them. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and enjoy this yearly social gathering. If very stormy, the next fair evening.

**Sussex County Again Democratic.**

Sussex county again took its place in the Democratic column, Tuesday. All the Democratic candidates were elected by substantial majorities as follows: L. J. Martin, Senator, 270; Elvin E. Smith, Assemblyman, 450; O. C. Simpson, county Clerk, 788.


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## CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

**A Pleasant, Simple, But Safe and Effectual Cure for It.**

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on on the heart and lungs, and difficult breathing; headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure for this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlandson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet composed of diastase, aseptic pepsin, a little Nux, golden seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition, resulting from a neglected cold in head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat, reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure; but to-day I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and and sound rest from their use.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn, and bloating after meals.

Send for little book, mailed free, on stomach troubles, by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores.

**One Dose.**

One dose of "77" taken at the beginning of a cold is worth half a dozen afterwards. When you feel the first chill or shiver, or your throat feels scrapey, is the easy time to cure a cold or check the grip. This is why so many people keep a vial of "77" handy: in the pocket, on the office desk, or in the home. If you forget your bottle, you will be sure in asking your friend for a dose; it will be considered a compliment. "77" is everywhere. Neglected colds take longer, but are always "broken up" by "77." Dr. Humphrey's Manual of Diseases at your druggists, or mailed free. Sold by druggists, or sent on receipt of 25c., 50c, or $1. Humphrey's Medicine Co., Cor. William and John streets, New York.

**A Great Surprise is in Store**

for those who will go to day and get a package of GRAIN-O. It takes the place of coffee at about one-fourth the cost. It is a food drink, full of health, and can be given to a child as well as the adult with great benefit. It is made of pure grains and looks and tastes like the finest grades of Mocha or Java coffee. It satisfies everyone. A cup of GRAIN-O is better for the system than a tonic because its benefit is permanent. What comes broken down GRAIN-O builds up. Ask your grocer for GRAIN-O. 15 and 25 cents.

J. C. Berry, one of the best known citizens of Spencer, Mo., testifies that he cured himself of the worst kind of piles by using a few boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He had been troubled with piles for thirty years and had used many different kinds of so called cures, but DeWitt's was the one that did the work and he will verify this statement to any one who wishes to write him. W. D. Olney.

J. M. Thurswend, of Grosbeck, Tex., says that when he has a spell of indigestion and feels bad and sluggish, he takes two of D Witt's Little Early Risers at night and he is all right the next morning. Many thousands of others do the same thing. Do you? W. D. Olney.

Warning—Persons who suffer from coughs and colds should heed the warnings of danger and save themselves suffering and fatal results by using One Minute Cough Cure. It is an infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

Itching Piles, night's horrid plague, instantly relieved and permanently cured by Doan's Ointment. Your dealer ought to keep it.

After serious illness, like typhoid fever pneumonia or the grip, Hood's Sarsaparilla has wonderful strength-giving power.

**Everybody Says So.**

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and Biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

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**Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors.**

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. Orange County, Goshen, N. Y.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Orange county will be held in their rooms in the County Building, at Goshen, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER the 10th, at two o'clock p. m.

All persons having bills or claims of any description against said county are hereby notified and required to deposit the same, properly made out, itemized and verified according to law, in a receptacle provided for that purpose, in the Orange County Clerk's office, on or before the third day of such meeting. All orders for printing or other supplies furnished must be attached to the bills. In default thereof such bills or claims will not be audited at said annual meeting.

In order to secure the proper distribution of drafts for bills audited, claimants are required to endorse on their bill the name of the town in which they reside and their post office address.

Bills presented by justices or constables for services in criminal proceedings must state fully the nature of the crime committed by the person or persons apprehended or tried, so as to distinguish between felonies and misdemeanors.

Constables or any other officers making any charge for mileage shall state in their bills the points traveled to and from, together with the actual number of miles traveled. No bills for mileage can be allowed that are not so itemized.

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## WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON D C Nov 5—Rain to night and to morrow cooler Saturday

## THE TEMPERATURE

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Prout's drug store today

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FRIDAY, NOV 5 1897

The Republican machine bosses have agreed among themselves that their candidate for the Middletown post office must be put through in spite of Tuesday's kick up It is whispered however that they may meet with a rebuff from Boss Odell who is not a bit pleased with the mess his Lenchmen have made of Republican politics here and who thinks if there is any harmonizing to be done now is the time to begin it and who doesn't think it in the interest of harmony to force an unpopular postmaster on the anti machine men

Hanna is not yet out of the woods The Republicans claim a majority of five in the Legislature but the Democrats do not concede this The result is very close and taking the figures as they now seem to stand a change of seventy votes in three counties would have given the Democrats a majority in the Legislature Even if the Republicans have a majority on joint ballot, Hanna's election to the Senate is more than doubtful for he cannot command the votes of all the legislators of his own party Three Republican members of the legislature have already announced that under no circumstances will they vote for Hanna

The past achievements of the Republican party in this state the will of the people as expressed at the polls by counting in defeated candidates causes some uneasiness among Democrats as to the possible action of the Republican Supervisors in canvassing the close vote between Schultz and Bedell and Wood and Bogart We will not believe until we are compelled to that the Republican supervisors will lend themselves to any fraud or trickery in this matter even though ordered to do so by the party bosses And if any chicanery is attempted it can hardly succeed for the action of the Board is subject to review by the courts and it can be compelled by mandamus or injunction to do justice to the Democratic candidates

The appeals of the *Press* for harmony in the Republican ranks is amusing to Democrats and intensely so to Republicans After the exclusive and tyrannical machine had made strong efforts to defeat the antis last fall on the Republican ticket a year ago there was no shouting for harmony Instead the drowning out process was continued all through the year, and was made doubly odious to the antis at the recent primaries and conventions The machine boldly in truth in its huge corruption fund thought itself able to carry the city without the antis There was no thought of harmony then But after the sound thrashing which the machine has helped to administer Tuesday the pride of the bosses is humbled They are now willing to sue for peace and Boss Boyd now tunes his feeble pipe for harmony But the antis are not ready to march to Boss Boyd's tune into the harmony camp

## A VERY COSTLY ELECTION

From the Albany Argus

It is estimated that the mayoralty election in Greater New York has cost the municipality $2 75 000 In the old city of Brooklyn it cost $197 000 In Queens it cost about $50 000 In Richmond it was about $10 000 In Manhattan and the Bronx it cost $412 000 Of this $38 000 is for the Board of Elections $120 000 for the police force and $175 000 for the election districts The registration alone is $62 000 Of the total $2 275 000 is for the city proper and $475 000 for the counties The cost to the city for the election of primary officers was $26 000 There were 200 officials to be elected for which there were 854 candidates The total population of the city is 3 437 202 and the total vote cast was 1 522 or which 884 were in the boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx 316 in Kings 76 in Queens and 47 in Richmond At this polling place there were 12 176 attributed To complete the statistics of this vast and costly election it is to be regretted that some less costly method of ascertaining the result at the polls could not be devised

## Hymeneal Notes

The friends have learned by Mrs J S M Lyons of the marriage of her daughter Miss Isabel to Samuel Hemingway The ceremony will take place on Wednesday Nov 17th at 7 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in this village at home after Dec 1st

# LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

## TEN-YEAR OLD GIRL'S SUICIDE

**After a Quarrel With Her Father She Ran Out of the House and Shot Herself**

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK Nov 5—A brewery wagon nearly ran over a dead body at East Orange, N J, this morning It proved to be that of Cecile Gunnarles the ten year old daughter of a wealthy resident of East Orange She had committed suicide by shooting herself in the region of the heart

Last night she quarreled with her father over a paltry affair and ran out of the house without waiting for her hat saying I'm going to kill myself The police of fifty dollars rewards sent searchers in every direction last night When the body was found to have recovered beside it

## BROUGHT HOME FOR BURIAL.

**Six of the Crew of the Oliver Pecker Brought from Brazil—Charged With Mutiny and Murder.**

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON, Oct 5—The steamer Lancaster arrived at Fortress Monroe last night with six of the crew of the American bark Olive Pecker taken aboard at Bahia, Brazil, where they were being held on a charge of mutiny and the murder of the Pecker's captain The Navy Department has notified the Attorney General that the prisoners are at his disposal and will be landed at Norfolk or Boston where the Lancaster is due next week

## MARTIN THORN'S TRIAL

**Will Probably Be Begun in Queens County Monday Morning.**

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK, Nov 5—There is every indication that Martin Thorn jointly indicted with Miss Nack for the murder of Wm Guldensuppe will be placed on trial Monday morning in the Queens County Court Justice Wilmot Smith presiding District Attorney Youngs, to-day completed his preparations and said he understood Thorn's counsel was ready

## THE NEXT ASSEMBLY.

**The Republicans sure of Eighty Members—Democrats Have Sixty-Six**

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK Nov 5—Complete returns on the Assembly with the exception of one district show that the Assembly consists of eighty Republicans sixty six Democrats and three Citizens Union Men The vote in the doubtful district, the Tenth New York stands Hubbard D 4 063 Thorne R, 3 933

## STOCK PRICES TUMBLE.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK Oct 5—Fears of trouble with Spain caused a heavy selling of stocks this morning and prices declined rapidly and the market was at times panicky

This afternoon there was a pronounced recovery in prices

**George Lea's New Years Masquerade Ball**

George Lea has engaged the Casino for New Years eve and will give a grand masquerade ball on the same plan as the one which he gave last year and which was such a phenomenal success He will put on many new features and expects to show the people of Middletown a trick or two in ball giving that they never knew before

**Two Hundred Defective Ballots in Sullivan County.**

On the face of the returns McLaughlin Republican has a majority for the Assembly in Sullivan county There are however 200 ballots returned as defective Many of these are for Watson and if they are counted he may be elected

**Teachers Association to Meet Here Tomorrow.**

The Orange County Teachers Association will meet at the High School in this city tomorrow

**Chronic Rheumatism Cured**

Dr H F Bottenger, Indianapolis, Ind, says For several months I suffered excruciating pain and I was severely afflicted with Rheumatism I finally tried Dr Chon's Mystic cure for Rheumatism, and in 4 days could walk without my cane two bottles cured me sound and well I have great pleasure in recommending the 'Mystic Cure' to all who are afflicted with Rheumatism" Sold by J L Mills, No 2 Empire Block, North street, Middletown


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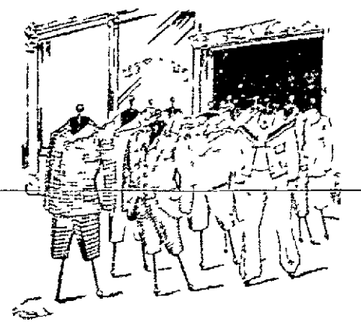


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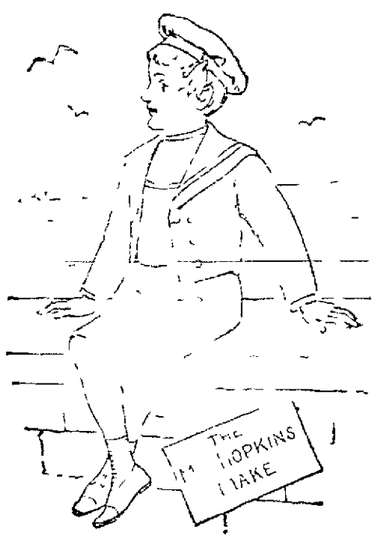



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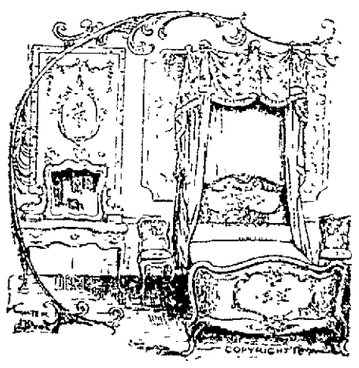

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Nov. 6—Football game, Port Jervis vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds
—Nov 9 (Afternoon and Evening)—Exhibition of pictures at E. Millen's, for Universalist Church
—Nov. 10—Complimentary hop, McQuoid Engine Co., in honor of J. H. Durham.
—Nov. 17—Ball of Ontario Sup Relief and Benefit Association, at Assembly Rooms
—Nov 17-19—Fair and Art Exhibit at First Congregational Church
—Nov 18—Masquerade ball of Dewitt Fife and Drum Corps, at Assembly Rooms
—Nov 20—Newburgh vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds.
—Nov. 24—Ball of Lucky Thought Lodge, K. of L. F., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 9—Fair of Washington Hose Co., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 22—Ball of Phoenix Engine Co., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 30—Ball of Ontario Hose Co., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 31—Masquerade ball at Casino under Geo. Lee's management

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—High School dance to-night, at the Assembly Rooms.

—Oscar Winters was thrown from his wagon today and received a cut in the head.

—Bishop Potter is expected to visit Ellenville, Nov. 10th, and confirm a class at St. John's Church.

—If you are desirous of promoting athletic development among young men and women buy a ticket for to-night's hop of the class of '98, Middletown High School.

—The *Union* notes that Mrs. T. De Castillia, of this city, is in Port Jervis making a house to house canvass in the interest of the trading stamp company.

—The General Sessions Committee of Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company will meet at the truck house, this evening, at 8 o'clock.

—The Royal Templars of Temperance will hold a public meeting in their rooms in the K. of H. Hall to night. A cordial invitation to all.

—John Lines, of Warwick, has bought and shipped 4,200 barrels of apples, this year, and has yet a few orchards to handle.

—The evening school at the Ransdell School of Business and Shorthand will close during next week to allow the students to attend the revival meetings now in progress at the Casino.

## PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Townsend are visiting in New York city.

—Dr. D. B. Hardenbergh was called to Livingston Manor, to-day in consultation in a critical case.

—Mrs C. L. Mead, of Middletown visited the Misses Clark at their lakeside home last week.—*Warwick Advertiser.*

—Mrs. W. B. Miller, of Middletown, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Catherwood, of this place.—*Ellenville Journal.*

—Joseph Burns took his departure, Wednesday morning for a fortnight's visit with relatives in Middletown.—*Ellenville Journal.*

—Mrs. V. N. Van Loan of Catskill, and Mrs. L. L. Atwood, of Pittsfield, who have been the guests of their nephew, L. D. Fouquet, returned to their homes this morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Brown returned from their wedding trip, last night. They took a tour which included Brooklyn, New York, Binghamton, Elmira, Buffalo and other central cities to Albany. They will reside on Prince street.

### Exhibition of Pictures.

There is great desire to see those fifty pictures by such noted artists as Charles Dana Gibson, Edwin A. Pyle, Alice Barber Stephens and many others at E. Millen's next Tuesday afternoon and evening. The social and tea will add cheer and good will to the occasion. Admission twenty-five cents. Everybody cordially invited.

### The Franklin-Sidney Electric Railroad

The Delaware Terminal Electric Railway Company has filed its certificate of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany. The company is surveying the route of the proposed electric road between Franklin and Sidney. It is expected that work on construction of the road will begin soon.

### Farmers' Institute at Deckertown.

A farmers' institute will be held at Deckertown Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 8th and 9th. Dairy Commissioner McGuire, State Entomologist Smith, F. E. Dawley, Director of Farmers' Institutes in New York, and other well known writers on agricultural topics will be present. The programme is a most interesting one.

### File Your Expense Accounts.

Candidates in the recent city election should remember that they are obliged to file a statement of their election expenses with the City Clerk in ten days from election day.

### Mayor Berry is Better.

Dr. Fancher reports that Mayor Berry rested well Thursday night, and shows improvement, to-day.

Headache bad? Get Miles' Pain Pills.

## SUPREME COURT.

**The World Successfully Defends a Libel Suit—Frederick Kane Loses His Case Against the Middletown Ice Co.—The Bridget Hayes Case—Other Matters.**

The case of Mary Allen vs. the *Press* Publishing Co., or the New York *World* was tried before Judge Hirschberg, Wednesday afternoon. This was a suit to recover $1,000 for alleged libel or publishing an article to the effect that plaintiff's child, Edith, twelve years old, had been forced to beg for food and had been sheltered by a kind-hearted colored woman after she had left her wretched home.

The defense was very simple. Mr. Vanamee defended that the article was true. It did not say, however, that Mrs. Allen had driven Edith out to beg, it said that she (Edith) had been driven by poverty to seek alms. He then proved by a former Overseer of the Poor that Edith had come to him for aid.

Mr. Vanamee summed up brilliantly for the defense, and spoke in glowing terms of the power of the press and its mission of mercy in directing the public eye to conditions as they existed in the Allen household.

The jury quickly found a verdict for defendant.

Judge Hirschberg granted a non-suit in the case of Frederick Kane vs. The Middletown Ice Company after all the testimony was in. Kane sued the company for $1,000 damages, he having fallen and broken his leg while in the company's employ.

### THE BRIDGET HAYES CASE.

The Grand Jury is making a most exhaustive inquiry into the death of Bridget Hayes. About all the witnesses are at hand and one follows the other in the order of his or her connection with the discovery of the body. Thus each incident which might prove a clue is followed up through several witnesses perhaps. Thursday the Grand Jury went up to the Carpenter home and viewed the place. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter gave their testimony, Wednesday.

The case of Nicholas J. Fowler vs. Theodore I. Munson was tried, Thursday morning. This was an action brought to recover from Mr. Munson and his aunt, Mrs. Haggerty, $75, which was alleged to be due for rent. The defendant claimed that the property, which is located in Walden, was rented by the month. The jury gave a verdict of $75 against Munson singly.

### A WALDEN SLANDER CASE.

Mary L. Dawson vs. Jane Evans, the second Walden slander case to be tried at this term, was next called. Plaintiff, who is now Mrs. Charles Millspaugh, conducted a dressmaking establishment in Walden, and in January last altered the sleeves on a plush coat belonging to Mrs. Evans. Four weeks after the cloak had been returned to Mrs. Evans she charged that the silk ornaments had been removed and cotton ones substituted, and that the silk ornaments now adorned Mrs. Minnie Galloway's coat, which Mrs. Dawson had also repaired.

Judge Hirschberg, in charging the jury, referred to the pettiness of the dispute, and said the publicity given it by the trial was unfortunate for all concerned.

The jury gave plaintiff a verdict for $25.

The case of Mary M. Schuyler vs. Louisa M. Morgan and Wesley Morgan individually as administrators was marked off, there being no appearances.

The case of the People vs. Thomas F. Queeney and another was dismissed.

Annabella Downey vs James Todd, a Newburgh case, was next called. Todd's clothes line was robbed, and he suspected plaintiff, and obtained a warrant and had her premises searched, but nothing was found. She sued for trespass, and for the insult and indignity to which she was subjected.

## WILL PROBABLY DIE.

**Walter Bullis' Injuries are Doubtlessly Fatal.**

Walter Bullis, the O. and W. brakeman who was crushed between the bumpers of two cars at Winterton, Thursday morning, is still at Thrall Hospital, but his recovery will be miraculous. His father and brother arrived here from Peakville, Thursday afternoon, and spent the night with him. Dr. Beakes, who came to this city with the injured man, states that the accident was caused by a misunderstanding between the engineer and the brakeman. The latter said he gave the signal to go ahead and the engineer misunderstood him to mean to back up.

## HIS CHARGES ARE HIGH.

**A Man With Two Names Who is Fixing Sewing Machines.**

A man who has given two names, and who has misrepresented himself as a representative of agent Skinner, of the Singer Company, has been repairing and cleaning sewing machines around town, and then making exorbitant charges.

The police took in the fellow, but were unable to hold him, and the man announced that he should remain in town.

### New Business Block for West Main Street.

Thomas Watts has arranged to erect a three-story brick business block 21x51 on West Main street next to the old Carmichael property. Oscar Jones has the contract for its construction.

### Rockland County's Turn Over.

Assemblyman Fred L. Whritner, of Rockland county, was defeated by Irving W. Brown, Dem., by a majority of 600. Mr. Whritner is well known in this city.

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## MRS. THRALL'S WILL.

**The Executors Bring an Action to Have Doubtful Points in the Document Construed.**

Isaac R. Clements and Nathan M. Hallock, executors of the will of the late Maretta Thrall, through their attorney, Daniel Finn, have brought an action in the Supreme Court for the construction of the will. The action is brought as executors and as individuals and all the legatees and heirs-at-law are made defendants. The court is asked to construe the will for the protection of the executors and to determine the rights of the several parties in interest.

The questions which the court is asked to decide are as follows:

First and Second—Are the legacies to Thrall Hospital and the city of Middletown valid and effectual?

Third and Fourth—In case it should be determined that said legacies to Thrall Hospital and the city of Middletown are invalid and ineffectual that it be determined to whom said legacies belong under provisions of the will.

Fifth—That it be determined to whom the proceeds of the sale of Mrs. Thrall's real estate belong.

Sixth—That it be determined whether the proceeds of the sale of real estate are to be distributed as the proceeds of real estate or as personal property.

The questions concerning the bequests to the hospital and the city arise from the fact that the will was made within two months of the testator's death. The bequest to the city will probably be declared valid, while that to the hospital will have to be declared invalid under the statute, but since all lapsed and invalid bequests go to the executors, there is no likelihood that the hospital will lose the money for the executors have undoubtedly made provision against accident or contingency directing the wishes of the generous and public spirited testator.

The other questions which the courts are asked to decide grow out of the uncertainty whether the real estate will be held to have descended to Mrs. Thrall from her father or her mother, the law providing for one distribution in one event and for another in the other.

It is stated in the complaint that the inventory shows the value of the real and personal property of the estate to be about $140,000.

## CORNWALL STOCK FARM SALE.

**A Large Attendance and Good Prices Realized—Fifty-eight Horses sold for $7,890, an Average Price of $136.**

The W. H. C. Beakes horse auction at Cornwall, yesterday, attracted a large crowd of horsemen from all parts of Orange, Sullivan, Ulster and Dutchess counties, and many from New York city.

Fifty out of the fifty-eight head were sold for $7,890, an average of $136.

Only one of the horses was bought by a Middletowner, Oscar Winters, who secured Mr. Fullerton (2.21¼) for $365.

Nea (2:18½) brought the largest price, $775, and went to New York parties. Stamboulette, a two-year-old filly, by Stamboul, dam Miss Bruce, brought the second highest price, $530. Lona, a three-year-old filly, brought $460, and Mazetri (2:21¼) brought $430.

The prices paid for the colts are considered very high by good judges, and the general opinion is that Mr Beakes should be congratulated upon the success of his sale. The auction will be continued today.

## R. T. OF T. CONVENTION.

**Delegates from Three Counties in Session Here To-day.**

About fifty delegates to the convention of Royal Templars of Temperance have been in this city, to-day, representing the counties of Orange, Dutchess and Ulster. The delegates met in Knights of Honor Hall, and secret sessions were held during the morning and afternoon. To night there will be a public meeting at which addresses will be made by supreme and grand officers.

### Bid Not Get a Single Vote.

Alfred Boyst, formerly of Port Jervis, and who is well known here, who ran on an independent ticket for Sheriff of Passaic county, N. J., enjoys the unique distinction of being a candidate without receiving a single vote. He declared that he was above voting for himself and approached one of the other candidates and offered to exchange votes. The man agreed and Boyst voted for him, but the other man did not live up to his agreement, so Boyst went through without securing a single vote. His candidacy started as a joke cost Passaic county a snug sum of the ballots that, under the election law, it had to furnish for him.

### Consolation to Defeat.

Chas. V. Norbury, the defeated Democratic candidate for Sheriff of Sullivan county, whose home is in Bloomingburgh, and Miss Louise Matthews, daughter of P. A. Matthews, of Caldwell, N. J., were married at the bride's home there at noon Wednesday.

### Sold at Foreclosure Sale.

Referee Charles G. Dill sold at foreclosure sale, to-day, the S. H. Wilcox property on Grand avenue, Margaret A. Van Nort being plaintiff. C. E. Crawford bid in the property for $1,720. T. N. Little was the plaintiff's attorney, and P. P. Kaufman, auctioneer.

### Game Supper at Schuberts.

A delicious game supper was served a party of Middletowners at Schubert's, Thursday night. It was an impromptu affair. Among the participants were Alderman and Mrs. Bastian, Mrs. Theo. Frank, Miss Kuhlman, of Ellenville, and others.

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## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

**Another Sudden Death—Will Attend the High School Dance at Middletown—Exhibition at the Club Rooms—That Game of Football With Warwick—Granite Company Gets a Contract.**

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—Stephen R. DeLancey, an aged shoemaker, who conducted a little shop at his home on Green street, died, suddenly, yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, from apoplexy. He was alone when stricken and engaged in the preparation of the evening meal for his son and two grandchildren, who live with him. His eldest grandson, Stephen, Jr., found the old man lying on the floor under the table which had been overturned in the death struggle. The deceased had been a resident of Green street for three weeks and of the town since May last, coming to Goshen from New Jersey. His age was seventy-two years and he is survived by his son, David Augustus DeLancey. DeLancey had enjoyed good health up to the hour of his demise and just previous to the time when he started to prepare supper had split a quantity of firewood. This is the second sudden death since election at Goshen. Coroner Decker was notified.

—Several Goshenites will attend the dance given at Middletown, to night, by the young ladies of the high school for the benefit of the Athletic Association.

—Frank Julian's funeral will be held on Sunday from St. John's Church.

—H. M. Carpenter will give on Monday, evening at the club rooms of the G. S. S. A. an interesting stereopticon exhibition in conjunction with the smoker and musical entertainment.

—Under the head of "Hoggish Goshen" the Warwick *Dispatch* prints an article which says that the recent football game between Warwick school and the Goshen scholastic lyceum "gives additional proof that it is simply impossible for Goshen men or boys to play a fair and honorable game of any kind." Can there be the woods of Editor Ketcham who with the club bowling team has been so pleasantly entertained at Goshen? Warwick, if you were talking of your game of bunco your authority would be indisputable, but your knowledge of football is as limited as is knowledge of the whereabouts of Farmer Van Dazer's $3,000. Says the *Dispatch* "one of the tricks of the Goshen sharps was to rush the ball through their own territory to get a goal," and to the bottom of the article the writer attaches something like this: "Hic, haec, Hockhog." evidently meant for the Warwick High School yell. The ignorance of the Warwick team was clearly shown when the "Goshen sharps rushed the ball through their own territory." The first half had been played and Goshen lined up on the opposite side of the line. Warwick lined up behind Goshen, no one knows why, leaving a clear field for Goshen. They scored a touch down without trouble, only one Warwick man being in his place in front of the opposing line. Warwick's team is strong we will admit, but they were fairly beaten. What the main mudslinger of the *Dispatch* doesn't know about football would make a large interesting volume.

—The Empire State Granite Company has been awarded the contract for supplying the stone to be used in the construction of a large and costly post office building in Paterson.

—The Vocal Society will rehearse, to night, after the preparatory communion service.

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# Waters of Lethe.

By Gwendolen Overton.

IT IS a dangerous thing to tamper with the self-esteem of a woman. If you hurt a man's pride, he will probably go off and sulk for a greater or less time; or it may be, if the case is very bad, that he will even kill himself. But a woman will have revenge. You may think she has forgotten, you may fancy she is impotent, but there is this much of the oriental in every woman—that she can wait. Break her heart and she will still let it be in the dust for you to trample upon, and she will find the pain pleasant; yet beware how you so much as scratch her pride; from the wound will trickle a stream of poison that may flow slowly, but will reach you in the end.

James Dudley's case went to prove this. Very few knew why he came to the end he did, but this was the way of it:

When he was very young and just out from the Point, he was sent to a post miles from anywhere, and there he became engaged to marry the 14-year-old daughter of Maj. Gorschkov. She was beautiful beyond the dreams of art—far too gorgeous for a mere little girl. She should have been historical. Such as Semiramis, or the Queen of Sheba, or Zenobia must have been, she was; therefore it was natural enough that Dudley should have thought himself in love with her. But he was a clever fellow, with a very fair share of brains, and she was an average child who was not old enough to return his love, but was mightily pleased in an innocent fashion at the importance the engagement gave her.

At the end of a year Dudley was ordered away. Absence opened his eyes to the fact that beauty alone was not enough to make him happy in his wife. And he wrote to Esther and asked her to release him, and to her parents he sent an explanation of his conduct. The mail orderly put both letters into Esther's hands. She read her own first. She was 16 years old now, and very proud. She had also grown to care in a vague sort of way for the memory of the lover of her childhood. The letter cut her through the Russian down to the Tartar, and she hated the man who she chose to think had humbled her. She tore it and he one to her father into small pieces. There was one sentence in the former that she did not understand. The lieutenant had said: "In time you will drink of the waters of Lethe, and forget me as utterly as I deserve to be forgotten."

A few days later she told her father she was not going to marry James Dudley.

"Does he know it?" asked the major.

"Yes."

"What is your reason?"

"Nothing in particular. I simply don't want to."

"Perhaps that won't satisfy him. However, it is just as well. I never supposed a childish affair of that sort would amount to much. You are old enough to look for yourself now."

In truth, Maj. Gorschkov had ambitions that soared above a mere lieutenant for his superb daughter. Esther was thankful to escape so easily. Presently she asked: "Papa,—what does it mean to drink of the waters of Lethe?"

The major explained.

"Oh," she said, "I see," and her long eyes narrowed cruelly.

Now, it might have happened in civil life that Dudley and Esther Gorschkov could never meet again, but partings are only be temporary in the service. Some years later Lieut. Dudley walked into a San Francisco theater one night after the curtain had gone up. The house was dark, and he kept his eyes on the stage. At the close of the act he looked about him, and the first thing he saw was a woman whose beauty startled him. And then he realized that he was the one he might have married. He was in a box with an older woman whom he knew. Dudley was seized with a wonderful dread of meeting those wonderful dark-gray eyes. He could go at once before he should do

But as he rose the older woman saw him, and signed and beckoned to an empty chair beside her. There was nothing for it now but to go to the box. He was cool with fear of the low-browed, black-haired, black-gowned girl with the magnificent neck and shoulders.

She would not have forgotten him, of course, but could he doubted if she would have forgiven. If she had been as beautiful he might have felt less culpable, for such is the nature of man to be smitten when they meet with the regally indifferent smile that had been hers even in childhood.

"Oh, I knew Mr Dudley years ago!" he said. "I was a little girl and was very fond of him because he used to buy mother's store candy and ribbons."

If that was her view of the past, Dudley resented it. A man does not want a beautiful girl to treat him as an old friend of infancy.

"You might suppose, Mrs. Graves," he told the other woman, "that she had been a toddling child and I a crusty bachelor in whose pockets she felt for sweetmeats."

Then Esther questioned him in her deep, sweet voice. "How long shall you stop here?"

"For a fortnight possibly."

"Where are you stationed now?" She knew well enough.

"At Apache. So you can imagine what a treat civilization is to me. How does it happen that I find you here?"

"We are stationed at the Presidio. You must come to see us."

"I will," he answered. He would have done anything those red lips might ask him to do. The receding tide of his love for her had swept back with a mighty force.

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Jane Wickham, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the First National Bank, in the city of Middletown, on or before the first day of February, 1898.

S. W. ROBERTSON, Executor.
J. F. BRADNER, attorney for executor.
dMonJanFeb1

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Hugh McD. Struble, late of the city of Middletown in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers the administrators of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of said deceased, at the office of D. F. Seward, 25 North street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of November next.

Dated May 7th, 1897.

MARY E. STRUBLE, } Administrators.
ALBERT H. CORWIN, }
D. F. SEWARD, Atty for Admrs., 25 North St, Middletown, N. Y. dFrmNov19

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, N. Y., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Daniel Thompson, deceased, late of the town of Crawford in said county, that they are required to present such claims or statements thereof, with proper vouchers or verification thereof, to the subscriber, the administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at her residence, in said town of Crawford, on or before the 27th day of December, 1897.

Dated June 23d, 1897.

ANNA THOMPSON, Administratrix.
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"How beautiful you are, Esther," he said, after a moment.

"I always was."

"You have no more false modesty than of yore."

"Why should I have? I didn't make myself, so I'm not praising my own handiwork. And I frankly admit that if I were to have made myself, I think I should have chosen my present model."

"But there is more than mere beauty of feature, now."

"Character, I suppose—which I lacked as a child. It is odd that character, even if it happens to be bad, can so improve a face."

Then she turned her head and bestowed the light of her countenance on the civilian beside her, whose infatuation was obvious.

"Every man in the post and the city will hate you with a deadly hatred, if Miss Gorschkov happens to take a fancy to you for old sake's sake," Mrs. Graves warned him.

"Even her fancy would be cheaply purchased at that cost."

"Perhaps. A woman of her beauty is not born into the world once in a cycle, certainly."

And Miss Gorschkov was pleased to fancy him. She advertised the fact. She was not one to fear any means that would gain her ends. She threw away her pride and came at his call. She forgave him the past and met him more than half way.

But Dudley was too much in love to despise or mistrust her for this. He applied for a two months' leave and spent every available moment of it with her. Mrs. Graves, in her quality of a schoolchum of his mother's and an old friend of himself, warned him. "Esther has done this same thing before, James. Take care. She is as beautiful as Cleopatra, and there are many who say she is as bad—at heart. Make love to her, if you choose, Caesar, but let your wife be a woman who is above suspicion."

Dudley never spoke to her again. And he continued his fanatical cult of his goddess.

His leave came to an end, and he went back to Apache. He who had been a light mocker and a philosopher of life, saw the bottom drop out of his universe when he had to go from her. She wrote to him twice a day, for a time, then once a day, then once a week, and finally the mail orderly handed him a letter from Esther that was almost a verbatim copy of the one he had sent to her six years before, even to the closing phrase. "In time you will drink of the waters of Lethe and will forget me as utterly as I deserve to be forgotten."

A light of memory broke, harsh and crude, through the rosy clouds that had enwrapped him. But he said to himself that justice had been meted out to him, stern and untempered. And he made no appeal.

Something more than a twelvemonth later, Esther Gorschkov sat at dinner beside the man whom she was then playing fast and loose, who would not be warned by the fate of the many whose bodies were strewn upon the shores where this Cythera had trod.

"You promised, you know," he said to her, "that you would answer my question to-night."

"What question?"

"Don't be cruel, please. I am in earnest."

"You appear to be. And everybody can see it, too. Go on and eat, and look as though you were discussing the dynamite plot or something."

"I will do whatever you choose, if you will tell me if you will marry me."

"Oh! is that what you mean? I couldn't remember whether it was you or Mr. Clayton behind asked me. Maybe it was both of you. But I can't see why you should bother about that sort of thing at dinner. Why don't you wait until the dance. It would be so much better form. Fancy saying 'no' to a man and then putting a piece of harmless little lamb in one's mouth."

"Are you going to say 'no'?"

"Gracious! but we are insistent. How should I know what I am going to say? Go on and eat, and stop hanging on my words, or I won't answer you at all. It is so fearfully conspicuous."

Even in his suspense, the man could not but return. "Whence this newfound dislike to being conspicuous?"

Miss Gorschkov smiled slowly and started to answer, but a voice from across the table stopped her.

"What is it, Capt. Lawrence?" she asked.

"Have you heard of Lieut. Dudley's death?"

"No. Is he dead?"

"He died at Apache a week ago."

"I'm so sorry; but, frankly, I don't think a dinner-table the place for funeral notices," she rebuked him. He disliked her, and she saw the purpose of his announcement. Her dead-white skin could turn no whiter, and her smiling red lips were painted.

"Cold-hearted devil," the captain muttered, as she turned back to the man at her side.

"So you want me to marry you? I will. But I want you to understand why. It is because I have just been told that the only man I have ever loved or ever will love is dead. Do you want me—knowing that?"

"Even knowing that—yes."

"Very well."

She spoke across the table again. "Capt. Lawrence, do you happen to know how Mr. Dudley died? We might as well have the coroner's verdict, since you have given us the other notices."

"He died of drink," he told her, mercilessly.

"I never knew that he drank."

"He never did until he went back from here a year ago. He took to it furiously after that, and would have been dismissed if he had not died, probably. Can you account for it?"

Miss Gorschkov smiled. "Perhaps he fancied he was quaffing the waters of Lethe," she said.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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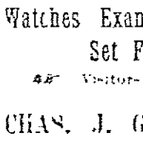

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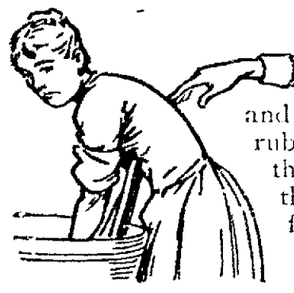

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There was a breathless silence followed by a vigorous exclamation from Johnnie and then from a dozen eager little geniuses came the chorus:

"Please, sir, it was the fatted calf!"—Aberdeen Journal.

### Plain Stated.

"Am I to understand," said the candidate, "that nothing will induce you to work for me?"

The professional politician looked at him reproachfully and replied:

"I am surprised at you. A man of your experience ought to know, sir, that nothing will not induce me to do anything for anybody."—Washington Star.

### Tenement Row Incidents.

Rudolph Pumpernickle—A baby fell out of a fifth story window up the street, just now, onto a grocery store awning, und aber, it vasn't hurt a bit!

Hans Meyerhoffer (storekeeper)—Dot vas lucky! A baby fell out of a two story window onto my awning, already once, an' donner! it ripped a hole six foot long in it!—Brooklyn Eagle.

### Geographical Item.

"What makes you so late?" asked Mrs. Chaffie.

"The teacher kept me in because I couldn't find Moscow on the map of Europe," replied Johnnie.

"No wonder you couldn't find Moscow. It was burned down in 1812. Its an outrage to treat a child that way!"—N. Y. World.

### A Ready Advocate.

"What this country wants to do," said the reformer, "is to raise the requirements for office holders."

"Exactly so," replied Senator Sorghum; "and allow me to remind you that the principal requirements of an office holder is his salary."—Washington Star.

### Slightly Different.

"Now, really," said the Thoughtful Man, "did you ever see a woman who was homely enough to stop a clock by looking at it?"

"No," said the Nonsensical Chap, "but I have seen a woman stop a car by looking at the conductor."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

### There Is a Difference.

"I can argue with anybody here," said the contentious man fiercely. "I can argue—"

"Oh, yes, you can argue," said the quiet little man in the corner; "the misfortune is that you can't reason."—Boston Traveler.

### Two Ways to Win.

Foster—Look here, Felton! I took your advice on that horse Felldown, and I'm dead broke. I thought you said the owners were going to play him to win?

Felton—That's right. They did win they bet against him.—Puck.

### One Girl's Consolation.

When no one came her heart to win
It filled her full of woe,
But now she plays the violin—
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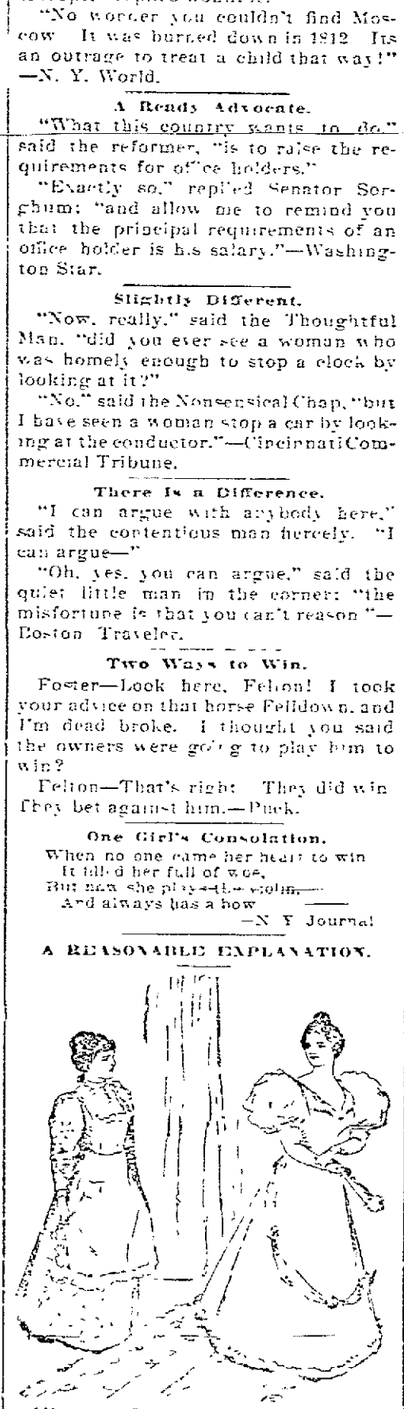
### A REASONABLE EXPLANATION.



Mistress—How is it that one never hears a sound in the kitchen when your sweetheart is with you of an evening?

Maid—Please, ma'am, the poor fellow is so bashful yet, for the present he does nothing but eat.—Life's Weekly.

### Her Motto.

"Do you like tandem rides?"

She said as she turned the key,—
He'd just proposed and said good-night,
And it was 12 o'clock.

—Chicago Record.

### An Old Timer.

Smithe—Whenever I see Johnson I am reminded of the proverb that the good die young.

Browne—But he's 75 if he's a day.

Smithe—Exactly. That's just my point.—Up-to-Date.

### Why Men Submit.

She—I don't see why you men allow a political boss to attain such power.

He—Well, we have to choose between our boss and the other party's boss.—Town Topics.

### A Way Men Have.

"For awhile he was clean out of his mind about that girl."

"And now?"

"Oh, now the girl is clean out of his mind."—Tit-Bits.

### Probable.

"Are you aware that the male mosquitoes do not bite?"

"Is that so? Probably a good many of them have been murdered by mistake."—Puck.

### A New Woman.

First Husband—How did you receive that bruise on your cheek?

Second Husband—That was caused by a woman's right.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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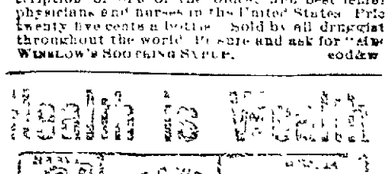


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| Cornwall | 9 15 | | 6 45 | 7 45 | 9 30 |
| Otisville | 9 35 | | 7 05 | 8 05 | 9 50 |
| Little Britain | 9 47 | | 7 17 | 8 17 | 10 02 |
| Batavia | 10 00 | | 7 30 | 8 30 | 10 15 |
| Campbell Hall | 10 12 | | 7 42 | 8 42 | 10 27 |
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| Middletown (lv | 10 45 | | 8 15 | 9 15 | 11 00 |
| Winterton | 10 50 | | 8 20 | 9 20 | 11 05 |
| Bloomingburgh | 11 01 | | 8 31 | 9 31 | 11 16 |
| Wurtsboro | 11 06 | | 8 36 | 9 36 | 11 21 |
| Summitville | 11 25 | | 8 55 | 9 55 | 11 40 |
| Ellenville | 11 50 | | 9 20 | 10 20 | 12 05 |
| Fallsburg | 12 32 | 2 05 | 10 02 | 11 02 | 12 47 |
| Hurleyville | 12 38 | 2 12 | 10 08 | 11 08 | 12 53 |
| Ferndale | 12 45 | 2 19 | 10 15 | 11 15 | 1 00 |
| Liberty | 12 50 | 2 24 | 10 20 | 11 20 | 1 05 |
| Parksville | 12 57 | 2 31 | 10 27 | 11 27 | 1 12 |
| Livingston Manor | 1 10 | 2 45 | 10 40 | 11 40 | 1 25 |
| Rockland | 1 20 | 2 55 | 10 50 | 11 50 | 1 35 |
| Cadosia | 1 30 | 3 05 | 11 00 | 12 00 | 1 45 |
| Walton | 1 45 | 3 20 | 11 15 | 12 15 | 2 00 |
| Maywood | 2 14 | 3 49 | 11 44 | 12 44 | 2 29 |
| Sidney | 2 30 | 4 05 | 12 00 | 1 00 | 2 45 |
| N'rwich (ar | 3 00 | 4 35 | 12 30 | 1 30 | 3 15 |
| N'rwich (lv | 3 15 | 4 50 | 12 45 | 1 45 | 3 30 |
| Castle | 3 25 | 5 00 | 12 55 | 1 55 | 3 40 |
| Oneida (ar | 3 50 | 5 25 | 1 20 | 2 20 | 4 05 |
| Oneida (lv | 4 00 | 5 35 | 1 30 | 2 30 | 4 15 |
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| Oneida (ar | 12 05 | 12 45 | | 5 15 | 5 45 | |
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| Livingston Manor | 5 05 | 6 00 | | 9 45 | 10 15 | |
| Parksville | | 6 14 | | 9 59 | 10 29 | |
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| Hurleyville | | 6 41 | | 10 26 | 10 56 | |
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| Centreville | | 7 00 | | 10 45 | 11 15 | |
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| Summitville | | 7 25 | | 11 10 | 11 40 | |
| Wurtsboro | | 7 33 | | 11 18 | 11 48 | |
| Bloom'gb'gh | | 7 42 | | 11 27 | 11 57 | |
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| Mtown (ar | 6 25 | 8 05 | | 11 50 | 12 20 | |
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| Burnside | | 8 48 | | 12 58 | 1 28 | |
| Little Brit'n | | 8 56 | | 1 06 | 1 36 | |
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| Pinebluff | | 9 05 | | 1 15 | 1 45 | |
| Cornwall | 7 25 | 9 20 | | 1 30 | 2 00 | |
| Weehawken | 8 47 | 10 40 | | 2 50 | 3 20 | |
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Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

‡ Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

§ Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

* Stop for meals.

Trains leave Cornwall 6 0 a m and 2 05 p m for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10 55 a. m. and 4 15 p m for Oneida.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 49 and 11 30 a m, 2 50 and 6 05 p m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7 40 and 10 50 a m, 5 10 and 5 50 p m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a m, 1 20 and 6 10 p m. Sunday only 2 15 p m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 10 a m, 2 45 and 6 45 p m. Sunday only 9 15 a. m. and 2 15 p m.

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| New York Ferries | Daily ex Sun | Daily ex Sun | Sun only | Daily |
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| | a m | p m | p m | p m |
| West 42d St | 8 25 | 4 25 | 5 25 | 12 25 |
| Cortlandt and Dey | | | | |
| Brosses street | 8 30 | 4 30 | 5 30 | 12 30 |
| Jersey City | 8 46 | 4 46 | 5 46 | 12 46 |
| Hackensack | 9 13 | 5 13 | 6 13 | 1 13 |
| Paterson (Erie Crossing) | 9 26 | 5 26 | 6 26 | 1 26 |
| Paterson | 9 31 | 5 31 | 6 31 | 1 31 |
| Two Bridges | 10 05 | 6 05 | 7 05 | 2 05 |
| Oakdale | 10 12 | 6 12 | 7 12 | 2 12 |
| Franklin | 10 15 | 6 15 | 7 15 | 2 15 |
| Homburg | 10 26 | 6 25 | 7 25 | 2 25 |
| Beckertown | 10 28 | 6 30 | 7 30 | 2 30 |
| Quarryville | 10 36 | 6 37 | 7 37 | 2 37 |
| Unionville | 10 41 | 6 41 | 7 41 | 2 41 |
| Westtown | 10 50 | 6 50 | 7 50 | 2 50 |
| Johnson | 10 56 | 6 56 | 7 56 | 2 56 |
| State Hill | 11 00 | 7 00 | 8 00 | 3 00 |
| Middletown | 11 15 | 7 15 | 8 15 | 3 15 |
| | Sat only | | | |
| | Daily ex Sun | Daily ex Sun | Daily ex Sun | Daily ex Sun |
| Middletown | 8 30 | 8 30 | 8 30 | 3 30 |
| State Hill | 8 45 | 8 45 | 8 45 | 3 45 |
| Johnson | 8 49 | 8 49 | 8 49 | 3 49 |
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| Quarryville | 9 05 | 9 05 | 9 05 | 4 05 |
| Beckertown | 9 13 | 9 13 | 9 13 | 4 13 |
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| Franklin | 9 25 | 9 25 | 9 25 | 4 25 |
| Oakdale | 9 28 | 9 28 | 9 28 | 4 28 |
| Two Bridges | 9 35 | 9 35 | 9 35 | 4 35 |
| Paterson (Erie Crossing) | 9 40 | 9 40 | 9 40 | 4 40 |
| Paterson | 9 53 | 9 53 | 9 53 | 4 53 |
| Hackensack | 9 58 | 9 58 | 9 58 | 4 58 |
| Jersey City | 10 25 | 10 25 | 10 25 | 5 25 |
| New York Ferries— | | | | |
| Cortlandt and Dey Brosses street | 10 40 | 10 40 | 10 40 | 5 40 |
| West 42d street | 9 10 | 10 10 | 11 10 | 5 10 |

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 27, '97.

| Eastern Time. | 17 | 21 | 1 | 9 | 11 | 33 | 2 | 23 | 14 | 8 | 30 | 6 | 38 | 25 | 29 | 7 | 15 | 27 | 5 | 13 | 10 | 26 | 16 | 28 | 18 | 12 |
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# MR. GEIL'S BIG MEETING.

## THE CASINO CROWDED TO THE DOORS, LAST NIGHT.

**Many Who Were Unable to obtain Seats Left the Building—An Interesting Address on "Look at Christ"—Many Signatures to the Cards—"The Dead Line," To-night.**

The noonday prayer meetings, both at the Y. M. C. A. rooms and at the O. and W. car shops, were well attended, yesterday.

At the Baptist Church, yesterday afternoon, a women's meeting was held at 3 o'clock, and at 3:30 Mr. Geil began his Bible talk to quite a well-filled church. This was the last afternoon meeting for this week. Mr. Geil explained the method he has found best in using the Bible in personal work.

Boards have been nailed to the trolley poles and other prominent places all over the city, and every day a different bill advertising the meetings at the Casino is pasted on them. It will be interesting to watch these boards. The announcement to-day is "The Dead Line."

Last night's meeting more than filled the Casino, many going away rather than stand. The singing was not as lively as it has been because many had not books. After the meeting at the Casino, Sunday night, nearly all the books were found on the floor, owing to the seats tipping back and allowing them to slip through, consequently many were damaged. The books have been heretofore supplied free so that all could have one, but it was deemed best to sell them and then the people would look after their own books. The price is twenty-five cents and they can be obtained at the Y. M. C. A. rooms or at the Casino entrance.

Mr. Geil was not feeling well when he spoke, last night, nevertheless he was very forcible in all that he said.

He answered from the Bible a few of the reasons given for not being a christian and ended by saying. "Don't look at sins,—they never saved anyone; faith never saved anyone; repentance never saved a man, but Christ has and does save." And that gave him his text, Luke xix: 10. Look at Christ.

Illustrations were numerous and were well put, showing clearly the idea he wished to leave. One point was that God holds the christian's hand and the christian does not hold God's hand. Isa. xli: 13, and he thus illustrated it: A little girl was holding on to her father's finger as they walked along the street, but on coming to a muddy gutter the father did not trust to her grasp on his finger, but took her hands in his and lifted her over safely. She might have let go when there was the greatest danger of falling.

Peter fell and denied Christ, but it was before he received power from on high; he never fell again, but that he fell toward heaven. He said all christians fall occasionally, but while christians stumble God holds their hands and each fall should bring them nearer to Him. As to foot ball where every man is trained to fall in a straight line for the opponents' goal, thereby gaining the length of the player's body, so he would have every christian to fall, if he must fall, straight toward Christ, to fall doing his duty.

God not only saves, but keeps us by His love and power and the christian does not keep himself. It is said that the crown of Russia is kept in a steel box not so very strong, however, but it is always charged with electricity from a powerful dynamo. As long as the current lasts the crown is safe; so with God's power toward the christian, and His power never fails.

The physician often pronounces the likelihood of recovery to be one in one hundred, but Christ, the great physician, cures every time,—100 out of 100 times.

The after meeting was very large. As few going out, of their seats were quickly taken by many who had stood at the first meeting.

That this movement is intended to save men and not make a splurge about it is evidenced by the quiet way it goes on. Nothing is being said about how many sign the cards that signify that the signer means to begin a christian life. It may be mentioned and it may not, but the ARGUS reporter knows that a large number of these have been given in.

There was a lively meeting of business men at the prayer meeting from 12 to 2:24 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, yesterday. Twenty-one requests for prayer were received.

## AN INJURED EYE REMOVED.

**A Town of Deerpark Boy Operated on in New York City.**

Chester Whittaker, the eighteen-year-old boy who had an eye injured, Tuesday, at his home at Quarry Hill, in the town of Deerpark, by a fragment from a percussion cap striking it, was taken to New York, Wednesday, by Dr. Best, Specialists, who examined the boy, decided that it was necessary to remove the injured eye and the operation was successfully performed. The piece of cap was found near the back of the eye, having passed clear through the eye ball.

**"Only the Best"**

Should be your motto when you need a medicine. Do not be induced to take any substitute when you call for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Experience has proved it to be the best. It is an honest medicine, possessing actual and unequalled merit. Be wise and profit by the experience of other people.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

**DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve**
Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

## FUNERAL OF EDWARD MINSHULL

**Large Attendance of Relatives and Friends—Beautiful Floral Tributes.**

The funeral of the late Edward Minshull was one of the largest which has been held at St. Joseph's Church in a long time. The friends met at the bereaved home at North street and Wickham avenue and the body was carried to the church by the following pall bearers:

Eugene B. Quick, of the O. and W. offices; Alderman Charles Tierney, of the B. of L. E.; Dewitt C. Purdy, of the O. and W. car shops; John Pohlman, of the O. and W. machine shops; Victor Belisle, of the O. and W. offices at Oswego, and William Aldcorn, of the O. and W. offices at Norwich.

Solemn requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father McClancy, assisted by Father O'Hanlon. During the mass beautiful music was rendered by a choir under the direction of J. M. Garland. The people were seated by Richard Sheerin, T. Frank Cullinan, Thomas Gillen, Edward Lawder and Michael J. Cashman, ushers.

The remains were placed at rest in a plot selected by the deceased years ago. Heaped about the grave were a large number of floral gifts, including the following:

Pillow, "Father," from children; pillow, "Grandpa" from grandchildren; wreath roses, O. and W. General Superintendent Edward Canfield and wife; crossed palms with cluster white chrysanthemums at cross, Mechanical Department of the O. and W.; broken column with white dove in flight, O. and W. shops; cross of white chrysanthemums and roses, O. and W. shops; wreath of pinks, roses, chrysanthemums and violets, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Riley; lyre of pinks, tuberoses smilax, cluster of roses forming base, with "B. of R. T., 292," from the Brotherhood of Railroad Engineers; large pillow of roses and white chrysanthemums, with "B. of L. F., 232," from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

Basket of cut flowers from O. and W. office employees at Wickham avenue; gates ajar, with initials of deceased, "E. M.," Mrs. Conway and family, of Norwich; cluster of white chrysanthemums, Weller & Demerest; pillow, "At Rest," Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Martin; cluster of chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and Mrs. P. Riley, of Oswego; cluster of roses Mrs. E. Koch; cluster of roses, Bartholomew; cluster of roses, Mrs. John F. Gordon; cluster of roses, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Runyon.

Among those present from out of town were the following:

Victor Belisle, Thomas Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCaffrey, Jerry Hartigan and Richard Cullivan, of Oswego; Supt. of the Northern Division of the O. and W., W. C. Hartigan and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sullivan, Miss Jennie Conway, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Macksie, John Riley, William Aldcorn and George Hadkin, of Norwich; J. Rice, Mrs. Kelly and Thomas Corniff, of Oneida; Misses Mary and Minnie Nolan, of Amsterdam, N. Y.; Andrew Somers, of New Durham.

## THE TUXEDO MURDER.

**Many Believe the Murderer Secured Mrs. Kinney's Money Before or After the Crime.**

A despatch from Tuxedo says: It came to light, Thursday, that the motive for the murder of aged Mrs. Mertie Kinney was robbery. As to whether the murderer was successful, opinion is divided.

Many believe that he secured at least $3,000, all the Kinney hoardings, and point to a number of stones apparently torn out of the cellar wall, as indicating where the old woman's treasure was hidden. They hold that she was compelled to make known this place. On the other hand, others are just as confident that the murderer got nothing.

This doubt has caused a contest of wits between an enterprising undertaker and the two nieces of the dead woman. The undertaker apparently believes there is money in the house, and has expressed a desire to buy the house. The nieces, who are not well off, would willingly sell at the liberal figure named by the undertaker if they could be sure that there were no money hidden in the walls of the old structure.

All day long men have been searching the woods for traces of the murderer of Mrs. Mertie Kinney, and they have found enought to confirm them in their belief that the murder was committed by a man who lives in the town and who knew Mrs. Kinney and her habits thoroughly. As there are only 250 people in Shawangunk, and one-third of these are women, the field of suspects is not a very wide one.

Although there is evidence that the murder was committed Saturday and heavy rain has fallen since, many believe bloodhounds could still follow the trail of the man who killed Mrs. Kinney, and several of the dogs will probably be brought from Tuxedo to make the attempt.

As there is a hotel directly across the street from the house in which Mrs. Kinney was killed and a cry would have been easily heard, Dr. J. M. Gillette was asked today if he thought the wounds would have prevented an outcry. He said: "They certainly would. The first cut severed the woman's vocal cords. She could not have uttered a sound afterwards."

When the body was first found it was thought that Mrs. Kinney died from a hemmorrhage of the lungs. The coroner, who is not a physician, was about to return a certificate to that effect, when Dr. Gillette discovered the wounds on the throat.

**Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. "One cent a dose."**

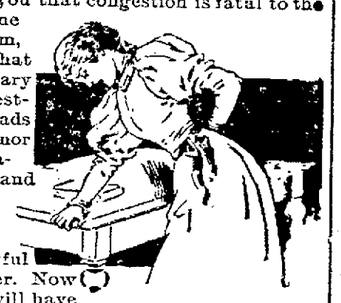
## WOMEN! DON'T WAIT.

**If You Have Any of These Symptoms Act at Once.**

Do you know the reason why you will go to the hospital, my poor friend?

Because you have allowed yourself to go from bad to worse. You did not know that that heat, swelling and tenderness in your left side were all signs of congestion of the ovary.

Any intelligent woman could have told you that congestion is fatal to the uterine system, and that an ovary congested leads to tumor formation, and that you were in awful danger. Now you will have to undergo the operation of ovariotomy, the cutting out of the ovary.



Yes, you will recover, at least I hope you will; but you will never be quite the same woman again. Congestion of the ovaries is fatal to health. If you have any such symptoms be advised in time; take a medicine of specific powers! You can find none better than Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, prepared especially to meet the needs of woman's sexual system. You can get it at any good druggist's.

Following we publish a letter from a woman in Milwaukee, which relates how she was cured of ovarian trouble:

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I suffered with congestion of the ovaries and inflammation of the womb. I had been troubled with suppressed and painful menstruation from a girl. The doctors told me the ovaries would have to be removed I took treatment two years to escape an operation, but still remained in miserable health in both body and mind, expecting to part with my reason each coming month. After using one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and a package of Sanative Wash I was very much relieved. I continued to use your remedies until cured. The last nine months have been passed in perfect good health. This, I know, I owe entirely to the Vegetable Compound. My gratitude is great, indeed, to the one to whom so many women owe their health and happiness."—Mrs. F. M KNAPP, 563 Wentworth Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

## ON THE TIP OF THE TONGUE.

The name of the revivalist who is just now filling the Casino and churches is pronounced in precisely four ways by the people of this city. An old drummer, who sat in the Russell House office, Thursday night, spoke of "Mr. Jeel," who was "conducting a show next door." One of the walking ushers at the Casino called him "Mr. Guile" and one of the seated ushers pronounced the name "Geel;" and the policeman at the door said, "Mr. Jile has quite a crowd."

The enthusiastic worker himself pronounces it "Guile."

The Hon. Thomas J. Murray, of New York city, will occupy a chair in the next Assembly at Albany from the Twenty-first District.

Our "Tommy," fat, round "Tommy," the crack short stop of the Asylum team an Assemblyman! Good boy, Tommy. Your friends here congratulate you.

Thomas J. Murray ran against George C. Austin, who defeated him in 1896. Austin was one of the brightest men in the Assembly. He was chairman of the Cities' Committee and a member of the Committee on Claims. His majority over "Tommy" was over 4,000. This fall Mr. Murray overcame the majority and is elected.

The Gipp brothers, the famous traveling salesmen who can beat the best pinochle players in all cities of the United States, are in town. They always look forward to their visit to this city and the pinochle evenings in Abraham Bastian's cafe. The elder Gipps said, Thursday night, that in all their travels no better pinochle players are encountered than the Wolff boys, and he says "Lou," the "bigga boss" of the Fourth Ward, is the best and Isidor Badwig, Morris B. Wolf and Lehman Sternclose seconds.

Some people are smiling at a conversation which occurred in the Casino, the other night. Evangelist Geil walked through the aisle and his eyes lighted on a well known resident of this city, who has drawn larger crowds here than has Mr. Geil. The evangelist halted, leaned over and asked:

"Are you a christian?"

"I am; are you?" replied the party addressed, the Rev. C. M. Winchester, of the Free Christian Church.

**A Famous German Doctor's Work.**

Consumption is now known to be curable if taken in time—the German remedy known as Otto's Cure, having been found to be an almost certain cure for the disease. Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Coughs, Colds, Pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases are quickly cured by Dr. Otto's Great German Remedy. Sample bottles of Otto's Cure are being given away by our agent, J. J. Chambers, 57 North street. Large sizes 25 and 50 cents.

PERSONAL.—The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. W. D. Cluey.

## ENGINEERS AND ACCIDENTS.

**A Superstition About "Three Times and Out."**

A man employed in one of the railway offices in Washington has for years been collecting newspaper accounts of railway accidents of all kinds, says Locomotive Engineering. He now has thousands of these narratives, and from an attentive study of them he has come to the conclusion that no locomotive engineer ever came alive out of his third disaster. This is all nonsense, of course, but there may be a basis to truth in the calculations.

It seems that this belief is widely held by engineers themselves, and the maker of the scrapbook asserts that it is so well supported by experience as to be almost as demonstrable as the law of gravitation or any other natural regulation. He does not insist that engineers are never killed in their first or second accident, but he does maintain with great seriousness that the man who has had two "close calls" will if he is wise abandon railroading and make his living some other way. It is not difficult to see how such a superstition should have arisen, for the chances that an engineer will three times survive the perils of collisions and derailments greater for him than for any one else on a train, are manifestly close to the vanishing point. To suppose that his danger is greater in the third than in the first wreck is, of course, merely another form of the delusion that "luck is bound to change."

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5, '97.

| | Yesterday Close | To-day Close |
|---|---|---|
| Sugar | 135⅝ | 131¼ |
| Tobacco | 80¼ | 78½ |
| Chicago Gas | 95 | 94⅛ |
| Nat. Lead | 35 | 33⅛ |
| General Electric | 32⅛ | 31 |
| U. S. L., pref. | 61¾ | 60 |
| Tenn. Coal and Iron | 25⅝ | 23⅝ |
| A. T. & S. F. | 12⅞ | 12½ |
| C. B. & Q. | 93¾ | 92 |
| C. M. & St. P. | 91¾ | 90 |
| R. I. | 81 | 81⅝ |
| D. L. & W. | — | — |
| C. of N. J. | 89 | 87½ |
| Erie | — | 13⅝ |
| D. and H. | 110 | 108½ |
| O. & W. | 15¼ | 14⅞ |
| Susquehanna & Western | — | — |
| Susquehanna & West., pref. | 30½ | 29⅝ |
| P. & R. | 21½ | 20⅝ |
| N. W. | 120½ | 119⅝ |
| L. S. | — | — |
| N. Y. C. | 105¾ | 104⅞ |
| M. P. | 28½ | 26⅞ |
| Texas | — | — |
| C. P. | 21½ | 20⅝ |
| W. Union | 86⅞ | 85¾ |
| L. & N. | 51 | 52¾ |
| Manhattan | 100¾ | 98 |
| P. M. | 30⅞ | 28½ |
| Wabash, pref. | 17 | 16⅛ |
| No. Pacific, pref. | 51¾ | 50 |
| W. L. | — | — |
| Southern Ry. | — | — |
| Southern, pref. | 28⅝ | 27⅝ |
| Dec. Wheat | 94 | 93⅝ |
| Dec. Corn | 26¾ | 25⅞ |
| Dec. Oats | 19½ | 19⅛ |
| Dec. Pork | $7 67 | $7 55 |
| Dec. Lard | 4 25 | 4 20 |

## New York Produce Market

NEW YORK, Nov. 4, '97.

BUTTER—Receipts for week 22,851 packages; exports for week 1,300 packages.

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| Creamery, tubs or pails, extra | 23½@24 |
| Do., firsts | 20½@22 |
| State dairy, half firkin tubs and pails, fresh, extra | 22 @23½ |
| Do., firsts | 20½@22 |
| Western dairy, firsts | @ |
| Do., seconds | @ |
| Western factory, extra | 13 @ |
| Do., firsts | 11½@12½ |

CHEESE—Receipts for week 25,116 boxes; exports 12,506 boxes.

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| State factory, full cream, fancy | 8½@ |
| Full cream, fine | 7 @ 7½ |
| State factory, skims | 3 @ 6½ |

POULTRY AND GAME—

LIVE POULTRY.

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| Chickens, per lb | 8@ |
| Roosters, per pound | 4@ 6 |
| Fowls, per pound | 8@ |
| Turkeys, per pound | 8@10 |
| Ducks, per pair | 45@ 65 |
| Geese, per pair | 87½@1 37½ |

DRESSED POULTRY.

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| Chickens, per pound | 8@14 |
| Turkeys, per pound | 9@12½ |
| Fowls, State and Jersey, per pound | 8@ |
| Ducks, per pound | 12½@13 |

EGGS—Receipts for week 28, 24 cases, and ..... barrels.

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| State and Pennsylvania, per dozen | 20@ |
| Western, per dozen | 19@ |

FRUITS AND BERRIES—

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| Apples, per barrel | 1 00@4 00 |
| Pears, per barrel | 1 00@5 50 |
| Grapes, per basket | 40@ 55 |

VEGETABLES—

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| Potatoes, per barrel | 1 50@2 25 |
| Cabbage, per 100 | 2 50@4 00 |
| Onions, per barrel | 1 50@1 00 |
| Celery, per dozen | 10@ 30 |

## ONE CENT A WORD

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THE Lowest Prices in the city—Round steak 11c., pork chops and roasts 11c., spring chickens 11c., prime rib 12c., chuck steak 9c., sausage 10 c nts.
89 122 DUGDALE & CO., 73 West Main St.

WANTED—Three or four rooms, first floor. 1t Address "A," Argus.

BEHME'S MARKET—250 pounds of our celebrated Sausage made for Saturday. Try it. Ten cents a pound. 1t

W. J. GROO will be at his office, 11 North street, Saturdays, and every evening from 7:30 to 9 o'clock, for consultation and the transaction of law business. 86d1mDec2

FOR RENT—Six rooms on Hanford street, newly papered and renovated throughout. Enquire at F. W. VANSICKLE'S Shoe Store, 58 North street. 83dtf

G. H. WHYTE, Mason and Builder. Jobbing promptly attended to—14 Grove street Middletown, N. Y. P. O. Box 452. dtoNov14

WILLIAM OTTO BENDER, City Upholster and Awning Maker, with good help, is now ready to take orders for all kinds of work in his line. Over 200 samples of awnings, for private houses and stores, to select from. Residence and factory 15 Knapp Ave., near Wickham. 1yMy19

LOWER Part of house, 69 East avenue; lower part of house, with barn, 30 Canal street; lower part of house, with barn, 203 East Main street, for rent.
Enquire of P. CUMMINGS, 160 North street, or corner East Ave. and Fulton St. 78dtf

GRAIN, FEED, HAY—Large stock, low prices. 81 Wed, Satf VANFLEET'S New Feed Store.

THE Klondike isn't in it with the bargains in second-hand goods at LOEVEN'S Storage House, 21 Monhagen avenue. 78d1yOc23.98

DON'T PAY RENT when you can buy a home with $8 monthly payments same as rent, Wawayanda avenue.
MERRILL & BURKE, Attorneys, No. 57 North street. dtf

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CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF will return to Middletown, Nov. 22d, and remain one week at Wm. S. Roe's, 37 James street. 52d&wtf

MUSICAL Instruction on mandolin, piano, violin, guitar, banjo, flute by VINCENT MAGGIO, 68 North street, second floor. d&wly

WANTED—By women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.). Small wages expected. Railroad fare paid by association. Apply State Charities' Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second street, New York city. 24d&w3mNov15

JEROME FOLLETTE, Piano and Organ Tuner Fine tone and action regulating a specialty. All work guaranteed. Orders left at T. B. Dayton's Real Estate Agency, Room 1, Stern's Building North St., Middletown, N. Y. 32d&wlyAu28 98

FARM TO RENT!—Having decided to quit farming, I offer for rent my farm of 100 acres, one and a half miles east of Middletown.
HENRY W. DUNNING, Middletown.
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MRS. A. I. KROM, Clairvoyant—Treating the sick and telling the future and past, personally or from a lock of hair. Best of recommendations. Office hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Central Building, corner North street and Railroad avenue, Middletown. 1mswNov19

WANTED—A few good dairies. 54swtf ANGLO SWISS CONDENSED MILK CO.

ECZEMA, Rheumatism and Paralysis cured Call at 22 Highland avenue.
DR. M. L. DEVESSERY.

A. M. AMBLER, Jeweler and Engraver, No. 50 North street, next to Press office. A complete line of watches, clocks, jewelry, Sterling silver novelties, suitable for prizes, birthday gifts or souvenirs. Repairing in all its branches a specialty. All work fully guaranteed. Clocks called for and delivered free of charge. 26d&wly Aug21,98

EXTRACTING with gas 50c., odontunder 50c. No charge for extracting when artificial teeth are to be inserted. Best teeth $6, $8 and $10 a set. Twenty years' experience. 90d&wtf DR. ROBINSON, 44 and 46 James St.

WE ARE READY—Old furniture made new, all kinds cabinet work, upholstering, old mattresses made over, carpets fitted and laid repairing of all kinds, goods packed for shipment also pattern making. Residence and shop corner Liberty street and Walkill avenue. 76d1mNov21 AUGUSTUS EITH

DR. F. N. FRIEND, Dentist, office corner North and King Sts., Middletown. Entrance on King St. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered. d1ySep1'98

SPECIAL SALE OF HATS—We bought 10 dozen Felt Hats, in all the best shapes, in black and colors. Some are velvet bound, some with satin wire edge. All worth 75c., but we have marked the lot at one price. We have plenty of pretty hats and caps for the children, and at low prices too. Large glossy prrrots at 50c., others get 75c for same kind. Walk in. You will find other things that we sell cheap.
50d&wtf MRS. BUSH, 144 North street.

TANSY, Pennyroyal and Cotton Root Pills the ladies' friend. Safe, prompt and reliable Agent at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

PARLOR Stoves—The Comfort and the Puzzle, both first-class heaters and in good condition; Singer sewing machine, low arm, $25. Domestic sewing machine, high arm, good, $15. EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

WANTED—Ladies to remember that you swore off on having your shoes repaired with nails. It makes them stiff and heavy. CHAMBERS sews on the soles, which makes your shoes flexible. The cost is no more.

CHAMBERS, the Druggist, sells Lacas Paint in pound cans, ready for use. Just the thing for painting flower pots and numerous other small articles about the house—25 beautiful shades, also white and black. Be a one; four very high colors 25c. Try them. Sold and guaranteed by JOHN J. CHAMBERS, Druggist, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

A BUSINESS EDUCATION—Railway and Commercial Systems practically taught—Stenography, typewriting and telegraphy, school of commerce No. 47 Washington street, Middletown, N. Y. Day and evening. Established 1865 65dlyFeb17 J. B. VANGELDER, Principal.

PAPER Hanging at 12½c a roll; also all kinds of painting. Estimates on all work cheerfully furnished. EMIL MARTINI, d2t Shop 5 Academy Ave.

PHILIP HENRY, Practical House Painter, No 9 Linden Terrace. Painting walls a specialty. 47dtf

22
Cents a Pound
FINEST
CREAMERY BUTTER.
SLOAT'S
Cash Store.

KLONDIKE AT HOME.

A fine, large lot, 52x240, opposite Dr Talcott's fine residence, West Main street, at auction,
SATURDAY, NOV. 6th,
at 3 o'clock. Don't fail to be there. The lot must be sold. There is on this lot one of the finest shade trees in Orange county.
88d2t P. F. KAUFMAN, Auctioneer.

CAR Load fine quality Cabbage, with roots for winter use, to be sold cheap. Sample lot at Hallock's fruit store, Casino Building.
88d2t WM. CONKLING.

AGENTS to sell Pure Whiskey from distillery to private consumers.
87d3t Box 825, Cincinnati, O.

BEGINNING this week, MISS MYERS' Dancing Class will be Monday evening and Saturday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock. d7,8

LADIES' and Gents' Suits and overcoats cleaned, dyed and pressed, gloves cleaned ostrich plumes cleaned, dyed and curled.
86d3m Feb2 J. A. AUSTIN, 92 Wickham Ave.

CHAMBERS, the Druggist, will sell you a two-quart Fountain Syringe, with three hard rubber pipes and extra long tubing, for 48 cents. They are fully guaranteed at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

CHAS. J. KIDD, Jr., 70 Academy avenue—3,000 designs in Wall Paper. Estimates furnished for painting, decorating and hanging. 71

READ OUR CASH PRICES—Sausage 10c., Sirloin Steak 16c., Porterhouse Steak 17 and 18c., Shoulder Steak 10c., Pork Steak 9 and 10c. Other meats in proportion at
75d1moNov20 KOCH'S Market, John street.

ALMOST A CLEARANCE SALE

of Millinery, from the most successful millinery season we ever had. There are left about six dozen Hats of various kinds, which we are going to sell at cut prices.

One Lot Chenille Hats.

Have been 75c., $1, $1.50, $2, are now 39c, 75c, $1.19, $1.48.

One Lot Walking Hats.

Colors, no blacks. Have sold around town at 75c and $1; will go at 48c.

One Lot French Felt.

Untrimmed shapes, colors, no blacks, at 48c.

One Lot Fancy Feathers

of all kinds; have been 15 to 65c. One round price 10c the pick.

Glove Special.

Foster lacing Gloves in black, brown and tan, not all sizes, they have narrow stitching on back instead of wide and that's why the price is 89c.

WE GIVE TRADING STAMPS.

ECONOMY STORE,
118 North St., Middletown

CANNED GOODS!

We Have a Big Stock of
CANNED GOODS,
Bought before the advance, and we are
Selling Them Down to
Hard Pan Prices.
B. F. TODD,
121 North St., Middletown.

PRICES WAY, WAY DOWN!

The weather is against us, and our store is crowded with winter goods We frankly say to you, we want the money for these goods, and we have made such tempting reductions that will induce anyone to buy who has the least intention of so doing.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING—Boy's Suits, 4 to 15, 98c each. Better Suits $1 50, $2 and $3. Boys' Reefers $1.98, $2.48, $3.50.

MEN'S SUITS, OVERCOATS AND ULSTERS—Suits $2.75 and up. Overcoats $3 and up. Ulsters $5 and up.

THE BEST THING IN TOWN—Cassimere Pants, worth and sold elsewhere at $1.50, special $1.

Men's Underwear in all grades—At 25c., Shirts or Drawers, we sell a garment sold everywhere at 38c. Look at it.

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS—Sizes 5½ to 9½, double knee and high spliced heel, color absolutely fast black and stainless, pure Egyptian cotton, worth and sold elsewhere at 18c a pair. Our price for all sizes 10 CENTS A PAIR.

If you have anything to buy that we sell, remember that you can always save from 10 to 20 per cent. by trading with us.

This is our Trade Mark.

Budwig & Co.
8 NORTH ST
MIDDLETOWN, N.Y.

Look for it when you buy Clothing.